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JAPAN WAR BOGY STIRS UP HOUSE.

Cockran Sees Exclusion Act, with Crisis Unavoidable; Tawney Scoffs at Any Peril.

MIKADO SHUTS OFF NEWS.

California Merchants Protest to Legislature Against Proposed Laws Opposing Aliens.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—The possibility of war with Japan was discussed in the house today. The representatives held diverse views, Mr. Tawney declaring no war was possible, while Mr. Cockran declared racial conflict was inevitable.

Mr. Tawney declared Japan today is in such financial condition that should the government impose a farthing more taxes for war purposes there would be a revolution. He also declared it a physical impossibility for Japan to send a fleet across the Pacific to our western coast because the only coaling station—the Hawaiian islands are in our possession—is fortified in such a way as to be as "impregnable as Gibraltar."

Mr. Cockran answered this by calling attention to the increase of the Japanese in the western states in the face of the president's efforts to secure a treaty with Japan limiting the number allowed to come over. These fail, he says, and an exclusive act is the next step. Japan will make reprisals for this and the crisis will be reached.

Naval Bill In Passed.

The discussion was brought about by the naval program for the fiscal year of 1910. This program, providing for appropriations of $135,000,000, was passed as reported by the committee except that the change striking out the provision restoring marines to naval vessels. The opponents of the navy increase were in a hopeless minority.

Mr. Tawney was the most vigorous opponent of the increase.

"I am getting somewhat tired," he said, "of these annually recurring wars with Japan, which occur simultaneously with the consideration of the naval appropriation bill.

"During every week and month in the year," Mr. Tawney said, "we hear a great deal about our peaceful and cordial relations with that oriental country, but when we come to consider the naval appropriation bill the newspapers immediately fill with predictions of what is going to happen."

Says Debts Swamp Japan.

Mr. Tawney declared Japan could not go to war and could not impose a farthing more of tax than was now imposed without a revolution. That, however, be said was not the only reason. "Would Japan," he inquired, "even if she were equipped financially, ever think of sending a fleet of warships or battleships from Yokohama to attack our Pacific coast in time of war?" She would, he said, have to be supplied somewhere in the Pacific with a naval base, where she could coal its ships and make necessary repairs. There was no such place in the Pacific except the Hawaiian islands, and he declared that when the fortifications provided for were completed the islands would be as impregnable as Gibraltar.

Mr. Tawney said there was no naval vessel afloat that could sail from Yokohama to the Pacific coast and back again with its coal, and such a fleet could not be supplied with enough colliers to meet the requirements.

Touching on the finances of the government, Mr. Tawney predicted a deficit this year of $125,000,000 and next year of $148,000,000.

Hepburn Wants Nation Ready.

The reasons assigned by Mr. Tawney for opposing the additions to the navy, in the opinion of Mr. Hepburn, were "trivial and dishonorable to the people of the United States." Those who favored an adequate navy, he said, did so because they recognized the fact that the American people were a warlike people. Every generation of Americans, he argued, had had its war, and probably the next generation would have its.

There was, he insisted, a passion for military glory in the breasts of all Americans. He sarcastically referred to what he said was "our talk about being a Christian people intent on securing the sway of peace over all the nations," and then pointed out the four wars the country had had, upon all of which, he declared, the country had entered unprepared.

Calling attention to what he said was the alarming increase in the national expenditures, Mr. Burton, in opposing the naval increase, inquired:

"What nation on earth is threatening us?"

The periodical war scare, he declared, occurred whenever the naval bill was up for consideration.

"One time," he said, "it is Japan, and the next some other nation, and they will pass away like phantoms of the air."

That which the present congress should do, he contended, was to provide for the rational needs of the people, "and not to guard against groundless fears or phantoms of the imagination."

Trusts Friendship of Japan.

"The United States," he said, "may trust the traditional friendship of Japan; we may trust the fact that she is in no condition, from an economic standpoint, to wage war with a great nation; we may trust that she will not engage in aggressive movements which are unjustifiable against a powerful nation of the Caucasian race."

The most radical views on the Japanese question heard in the house for some time were uttered by Mr. Cockran of New York, who spoke regarding racial repulsion.

"I believe," he declared, "it is impossible for that repulsion to change."

All the unbroken story of history, he said, was that it was "innate, unconquerable, irrepressive." Never, he said, had two races dealt together peacefully in actual contact except under one condition, and that, he asserted, was "when one has consented to admit superiority in the other."

Discussing the conditions in the west, Mr. Cockran said:

"You have on the Pacific coast today two races, one of which won't acknowledge inferiority, and the other won't acknowledge equality. That the alien race is growing in numbers some believe."

Everybody, he said, could conceive that its growth meant danger to American peace.

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SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 1909.

THE WEATHER—FORECAST—Showers and continued mild temperature Saturday, with moderate to brisk south shifting to west winds, probably fair Sunday.
Sunrise, 7:11.
Sunset, 4:54.
Moonset, 7:06 p. m.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Temperature, max. 56, min. 40, mean 52, normal for the day 28. Excess since Jan. 1, 65.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 25. Deficiency since Jan. 1, 1.35 inches.
Wind, S., max. 26 miles an hour, at 12:15 p. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 89%. 7 p. m. 89%.
Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 29.98. 7 p. m. 29.88.

TELEPHONE CENTRAL 100.

DAILY HEALTH HINT.

CONSUMPTION A HOUSE DISEASE.

Consumption is a house disease. House life, then, whether it be the home or the shop, is the important factor in the propagation and spread of this disease. Important, because in these two places the home and the work place, men and women spend practically both their waking and sleeping hours. Important, again, for the reason that in both the home and the shop are produced and maintained, through ignorance of the simplest rules of health, those conditions that tend to impair physical vigor and at the same time produce the germs of disease and death.

These facts should make apparent the importance of making our indoor life, or, rather, the conditions under which we live and work, correspond as nearly as possible with respect to light and air to those prevailing in outdoor life.

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MOVEMENTS O. OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Arrived.	Port.
ARABIC	Liverpool.
ASSUAN	Hamburg.
CANOPIC	Palermo.
CEDRIC	Genoa.
COLOMBIAN	Yokohama.
CRAIGWAR	Halifax.
EMPRESS OF BRITAIN	Hongkong.
EMPRESS OF CHINA	Liverpool.
HESPERIAN	London.
POMERANIAN	Port.
SYDNAM	
Sailed.	
CORSICAN	St. John.
MOUNT TEMPLE	Halifax.
REPUBLIC	New York.

WIRELESS REPORTS.

FURNESSIA	Off Sandy Hook.	
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HOPKINS' DEFEAT TO UNITE PARTY?

Lorimer Hopes to "Square" Personal Hate and Weld Old Factions by Meeting of Leaders.

FOSS PLANS TO PLUNGE IN.

Only One Small Chance Left for Senator to Defeat the Deadlock and Win a Reelection.

BY C. S. R.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—The unfeeling opponents of Senator Albert J. Hopkins, having counted up twenty-nine votes on which absolute reliance can be placed, are prepared to carry the deadlock through Tuesday's joint session without a fracture.

They are prepared to ballot from noon to midnight to convince the federal organization of the state that the junior senator has been removed as a possibility and that a conference of the large powers of the party is needed to select his successor.

Until such an admission comes from the supporters of the present senator, the deadlock will be maintained without any fear on the part of Congressman Lorimer, Speaker Shurtleff, Representative Shanahan, and other opponents of Hopkins that it can be broken until they wish it disturbed."

Delay Hurts Hopkins' Chance.

In delaying the starting of the Rodenberg movement, which had been prepared carefully by Mr. Hopkins' southern Illinois supporters, the friends of the southern Illinois congressman are thought to have sacrificed their chances of success. If Mr. Rodenberg comes into the race now it will be only as a perfunctory candidate whose object is to get in readiness for a campaign for Senator Cullom's seat four years from now.

Rodenberg needed Democratic votes to be successful, and after the plans had been made to make a dash with him for the prize, it was discovered that Roger C. Sullivan would prevent the delivery of enough minority votes to make it successful.

Congressman Rodenberg, it is said, did not object to taking the place, even if he were lifted into it by the minority party, but there was too much at stake to make the attempt unless the votes were counted in advance.

It now is too late to renew the effort, Congressman Lorimer and Mr. Shurtleff, their first and main desire being merely the defeat of Hopkins, having decided the deadlock can be maintained and the further object of electing a senator whom they want attained.

Seek to Reunite Party.

Until the Hopkins' contingent admits defeat, it is not likely any steps will be taken towards calling the conference of the big powers for the naming of a senator.

It is admitted Gov. Deneen and Congressman Lorimer, who have forgotten their dislikes and now are good friends, can name a senator, Speaker Shurtleff being counted in.

It is admitted that Gov. Deneen, Mayor Busse, and the present Hopkins organization can name a senator if he be other than Hopkins. The purpose of the state leaders, however, is to select a man by the action of all the factions in the state and in selecting him reunite the much shattered portions of the Republican organization.

It is the conviction of the party managers that the situation, which is unfortunate for Mr. Hopkins personally, presents possibilities of greater party amity than could have been hoped for had he been reelected without trouble.

Past Enmity Is Forgotten.

Mr. Deneen and Mr. Lorimer have reached a surprising state of mutual understanding. Mr. Shurtleff and Mr. Deneen have not come to the sociable stage in which the governor and the congressman find themselves, but they are forgetting rapidly much of the unpleasantness of the last two years of their dealings with each other.

In the selection of a new senator there is thought to be the opportunity for a reassembling of the separated party units and it is to this end that the conservative party managers are working.

Mr. Hopkins still has his fighting chance and the referee has not begun the actual count of ten on him. He and his supporters are using every means to bring his vote up to the required total Tuesday. Some new votes will be given to him on the thirteenth ballot which will be taken Tuesday at noon. Representative Kowalski, from Gov. Deneen's own senatorial district, will vote for the senator, and it is possible that Representative Maclean will be persuaded by the Pease and Weber organizations to come in for a ballot or two.

Foss Expected in Springfield.

The senator's opponents do not believe that his vote can be raised to ninety, no matter what influence be brought to bear on the insurgent statesmen. They count absolutely on twenty-nine senators and representatives who have been checked up carefully and who are known to be of a stiff necked generation.

Congressman Foss is expected to reach Chicago on Sunday and to be in Springfield on Tuesday. Representative Chester W. Church has been urgent in demanding his presence and the congressman, his work with the naval appropriation bill completed, will be on hand to make a try for the place himself.

Gov. Deneen's friends have not been discouraged by the attitude of the governor and still hope to crowd him into the place. It is understood that a conference of the friends of the "Senator Deneen movement," including Senator Edward Curtis, Roy O. West, and Col. Ira Copley of Aurora, was held in Chicago today and that "Senator Deneen's" supporters refuse to admit that the governor has passed out of the possibilities.

Deneen's "No" Is Respected.

It is recognized that it is for the governor to say whether he will take it or not. If he wants it, Congressman Lorimer, Mr. Shurtleff, and their following are willing to give it to him. They would like to have Lieut. Gov. Oglesby boosted into the higher office.

Mr. Deneen has said "No" thus far and will continue to say it unless the deadlock be prolonged into spring. Mr. Lorimer, whose main purpose is to accomplish the defeat of Mr. Hopkins, has no intention of taking such chances with his principal object.

For that reason Mr. Deneen at the present time may be regarded as a man who had the opportunity and who has refused to make use of it, eliminating himself by that action.

Senator Funk of Bloomington is expected

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SOME EDITORS ARE HARD TO SATISFY.

December, 1907.

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"What did I tell you? The fleet ought to have been left in the Pacific!"

WOULD HIDE DEATH IN ROSE

Chemist Accused of Wishing to Kill by Poisonous Perfume.

CRUELTY ALLEGED BY WIFE.

Robert Wahl Made Defendant in Suit for Separate Maintenance.

Robert Wahl was accused yesterday of having expressed a desire to kill his wife by the use of a poisonous perfume placed on a rose. The accusation was made in a suit for separate maintenance filed by Mrs. Wahl. The defendant is a noted chemist and president of the Wahl-Henius Institute of Fermentology. Several alleged affinities are named by the wife, who lives in the Pattington apartments, 1664 Graceland avenue.

Concerning the wish of her chemist husband to emulate the example of the Borgias, Mrs. Wahl in her bill says:

"And your oratrix, while inhaling the perfume of a flower, would also have inhaled, without any perceptible knowledge to herself, sufficient of the deadly odor from said chemical or poison to kill her, but that he decided because of the children and because your oratrix was a good and dutiful mother that he would not kill her, as suspicion might fall on him and he did not think it best at the present time that the children be deprived of her help."

No Exeat Writ Served.

Last night while dining at the Bismarck garden, Wahl was served with a writ of ne exeat issued by Judge Lockwood Honoré to prevent his leaving the state and placing him under a $2,500 bond until the separate maintenance action has been disposed of.

Wahl is chargedwith becoming infatuated with a woman known as Anna Ingrisch, with whom, according to the wife, the chemist at various times visited "Uncle Willis ms' hotel," 43 Plymouth place. In two instances it is decared Wahl left the city on business and took an "affinity" with him.

According to the bill, which was filed by Attorney Joseph Latimer and Attorney Samuel G. Grodson, Mrs. Wahl caused her husband to be followed by private detectives who reported to her the exact number of hours he staid in various hotels with the women he met.

Charges of Cruelty.

Numerous charges of cruelty are made by the wife, who declares that within the last five years Wahl not only refused to live with her for months at a time but on many occasions attacked her.

Robert and Marie Julie Wahl were married in Hamburg, Germany, in 1886 and later in the same year came to America. Since that time they have lived continuously in Chicago. Their children are Mabel Elliot Wahl, 20 years old; Richard Webster Wahl, 18 years old; Arnold Spencer Wahl, 17 years old, and Elinor Bernice Wahl, 5 years old.

In 1902, according to the wife, the chemist started to make reductions in household expenses and took a trip to Denver with another woman.

Begs and Receives Forgiveness.

On being confronted with his wife's knowledge of the trip, Wahl, it is averred, confessed and begged forgiveness, which was granted. In September, 1907, according to the bill, the Wahls had reached a point in their relations with each other where they ceased to live together.

In asking that her husband be restrained from injuring her in any way the wife sets up that "the defendant has become so embittered and has shown such violent outlines of anger and passion toward your oratrix that she fears as soon as the said defendant learns of the institution of this suit he will do her great bodily harm or injury."

THREE PERSONS ARE KILLED IN WRECK OF CHICAGO TRAIN.

Second Section of Pennsylvania Flyer Tears Through First, Stranded by a Broken Axle.

Altoona, Pa., Jan. 23, 3:15 a. m.—[Special.]—Three persons were killed, one seriously hurt, and scores more or less injured when the two sections of Pennsylvania passenger train No. 21, the Chicago and St. Louis express, from New York, collided at Summer Hill, twenty-seven miles from Altoona.

One of the dead is Jack McCartney, engineer of the second section, who was one of the oldest men on the Pittsburg division. The second was a Pullman porter and the other was McCartney's fireman.

The relief train bearing the dead and wounded reached Altoona shortly after 9 o'clock this morning and the wounded were immediately removed to hospitals there.

That more persons were not killed is regarded as almost miraculous in view of the manner in which the second section ripped open the first, which had stopped on account of a broken axle.

SAYS SIZE OF UNITED STATES PRECLUDES LOVE OF COUNTRY

Francis W. Parker Holds That Patriotism of "Good Old Kind" Is Antiquated and Virtually Worthless.

Patriotism of the "good old kind"—the kind that produced heroes and impelled men to risk their lives and their fortunes for love of their country—is antiquated and practically worthless in these modern times, according to Francis W. Parker, who spoke last evening before the members of the Illinois society, Sons of the American Revolution, at a meeting of the Hamilton club.

At least this is the case in the United States, the speaker said, because the United States is too big to be loved. He said no American loves his land in the same way that the Swiss and the Norwegians love their mountains.

"Patriotism today is not what it was in olden times," said Mr. Parker. "The old fashioned patriotism was romantic, but it is not practical today. The United States is too big to be loved. We can't love an abstraction.

"Neither have we Americans any dynasties to love and around which to center our love of country. We can't love the house of Roosevelt, or the house of Deneen, or of Mayor Busse, or of J. Hamilton Lewis."

HELD FOR STEALING 25 CENTS.

Evanston Boy Faces Indictment by Grand Jury for Robbing Poolroom of Pennies.

George Behrendt was held to the grand jury in $300 bonds yesterday by Justice Boyer of Evanston. The charge against him is the theft of twenty-five pennies from the poolroom of George M. Leffingwell, 811 Davis street, Evanston. He admitted that he waited about the place Wednesday night until closing time and while no one was watching slipped the lock on a rear door so he could enter after the poolroom had been shut for the night. After the place had been closed he entered by this door and stole the pennies. He is 18 years old.

STRANGER GETS HIS PICTURE

Hadley of Missouri Recipient of McCutcheon Cartoon.

GOVERNOR A REINCARNATION

First Visit of "Unknown" Noted in "Tribune" in 1904.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 22.—An unusual incident took place in the United States district court today when Gardiner Lathrop, general solicitor of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé railroad, presented to Gov. Herbert S. Hadley a large sized picture of "The Mysterious Stranger," the gift of John T. McCutcheon, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE cartoonist.

The presentation was made just after Gov. Hadley had concluded his argument before Judge Smith McPherson in the cases of the eighteen Missouri railroads that are fighting the enforcement of the Missouri 2 cent and maximum freight rate laws.

"Stranger's" First Bow in 1904.

"The Mysterious Stranger," a creation of Mr. McCutcheon, made its first appearance in the TRIBUNE in 1904, when Missouri for the first time in thirty years cast its electoral vote for a Republican candidate for president. Gov. Hadley, who recently was inaugurated, is the first Republican governor in Missouri in thirty years.

When Mr. Lathrop took the picture to the judge's bench and after showing it to the court turned it toward the overcrowded court room cheers resounded throughout the hall and the spectators applauded for nearly a minute.

Visibly affected, Gov. Hadley arose and accepted the picture. He said:

"It is the source of the greatest gratification that after four years of service for the people as attorney general they thought I had made good enough to make me their governor. I may represent the party at whose head stands the 'mysterious stranger,' but my administration as governor will not be an administration for the 'mysterious stranger,' but an administration for Missourians."

Judges in Repartee Over "Visitor."

Judge O. M. Spencer of St. Joseph, Mo., followed Mr. Hadley. He said if there had to be a "mysterious stranger" in the state house, he was glad it was Herbert S. Hadley.

"Did you vote for him?" inquired Judge McPherson.

"I did not," answered Judge Spencer.

"Then you are like Andrew Carnegie and free trade," said the judge. "You're for it after it no longer affects you."

"I want to say," concluded Judge Spencer, "that we'll take care of the 'mysterious stranger' next time."

61 ABOVE ZERO; NEAR RECORD.

Lowest Temperature During the Day Is 53, and Continued Warm Weather Is Promised.

The temperature in Chicago last night came near breaking all warm weather records for January when, at midnight, the mercury registered 61. The record is 62, which was recorded in January, 1906. The lowest temperature during the day was 53. Continued warm weather is promised for today and tomorrow. Another thunder shower passed over the city early last evening.

BILLIK TO PRISON; ESCAPES GALLOWS

Death Sentence on Convicted Murderer Commuted by Governor to Life Term at Joliet.

END OF NOTORIOUS CASE.

Bohemian Mesmerist's Neck Is Saved After Long Fight by Friends and Many Reprieves.

CHRONOLOGY OF BILLIK CASE.

Billik put on trial	June 26, 1907
Found guilty of murder of Mary Vrsal	July 12, 1907
First date set for hanging	Oct. 4, 1907
First reprieve granted	Oct. 3, 1907
Second reprieve granted	Nov. 6, 1907
Third reprieve granted	Jan. 30, 1908
Sentence affirmed by state Supreme court	Feb. 20, 1908
State board of pardons hears case	April 15, 1908
Fourth reprieve granted	April 24, 1908
Doomed to hang	11 a. m., June 19, 1908
Judge Landis grants stay, 10:00 a. m.	June 19, 1908
Supreme court refused writ of habeas corpus	Oct. 19, 1908
Judge Barnes resentenced Billik, setting date for his execution as	Dec. 11 ..... Nov. 17, 1908
Reprieve granted by Lieut. Gov. Sherman until Jan. 29	Dec. 7, 1908
Sentence commuted to life in prison	Jan. 23, 1909

After being in the shadow of the gallows several times, Herman Billik has escaped the death penalty.

Gov. Deneen announced last night that he had decided to commute to life imprisonment the sentence of the clairvoyant who was convicted of poisoning Mary Vrsal and was suspected of poisoning other members of the Vrsal family.

Along with the announcement of the commutation there was made public a review of the case by the board of pardons, in which it was indicated that leniency was recommended only because of a widespread belief that the prisoner might have been convicted unjustly, and that the execution of the death penalty under the circumstances might cause general dissatisfaction.

Statement of Pardon Board.

Following is the statement:

"The homicide of which the petitioner, Herman Zasicek, alias Billik, was convicted and his punishment fixed at death, was the murder of Mary Vrsal by the use of poison. After judgment had been rendered in the Criminal court of Cook county a writ of error was sued out in the Supreme court to review the record of the lower court. The Supreme court held that the record showed no reversible error and the judgment of the Criminal court was affirmed.

"After the final action of the Supreme court one Jerry Vrsal, a brother to Mary Vrsal, and one of the principal witnesses for the people in the trial of petitioner, was produced before the board of pardons as a witness on its meeting to hear the petition for executive clemency. Jerry Vrsal on that occasion swore, after his former testimony had been read to him, question for question and answer for answer, that his former testimony at the trial was absolutely false, except as to some minor or unimportant facts.

Basis of Jury's Verdict.

"Having contradicted his more important testimony given upon the trial of the case, the question is presented:

"'When did Jerry Vrsal tell the truth?'

"The written statements of the majority of the jury inform us that the jury was influenced to inflict the death penalty by the testimony of Jerry Vrsal to certain facts which were not testified to by other witnesses. While we recognize the established rule of law that jurors are not allowed to impeach their own verdict, yet, since the case has passed beyond the jurisdiction of the courts, the question that presents itself for the consideration of the board is: 'Would the jury, with the testimony of Jerry Vrsal eliminated from their consideration, have found him guilty and inflicted the death penalty?'

"We are of the opinion that even with the elimination of the testimony there is evidence to support the verdict of the jury beyond a reasonable doubt, but in taking into consideration the statement of the jurors above referred to, we feel we are warranted in the conclusion that the death penalty would not have been inflicted.

Case Reviewed by Judge Barnes.

"In this conclusion, we are supported by the statement of the trial judge, who, in review of the case, comments as follows:

"'The more I reflect upon the matter the more convinced I am that the sentence of Billik should be commuted to life imprisonment. Eliminating that portion of Jerry Vrsal's evidence on matters to which he alone testified and which he now claims was perjured testimony, still the record discloses evidence of guilt beyond a reasonable doubt, and perhaps it may be said with justice that one guilty of such an atrocious crime deserves the penalty of death. But there are features of the case that will also provoke discussion and dissent with respect to the propriety, if not the justice, of imposing that penalty in this case.

"'First, while no court on motion for a new trial or review could properly say that the judgment and penalty were not justified from what appeared in the record, yet the character and antecedents and environments of many witnesses were such that, while no judge or jury could justly say that their testimony was not credible by reason thereof, it was not all as satisfactory as if it had come from other sources.

Reasonable Doubt Is Lacking.

"Yet I am unable to say that any doubt such considerations may have suggested has in connection with what appeared before me at the trial and as now appears in the record, ever risen to the importance of a reasonable doubt. I can but state my feelings on that matter by what I said before the pardon board, that I felt that we had not got the whole story, but that nevertheless Billik was criminally implicated in causing the deaths of Mary and some if not all the other deceased members of the Vrsal family.

"Second—Had Jerry Vrsal furnished the same affidavits as to his perjury while the trial court had jurisdiction it probably would have been error not to have granted a new trial. No tribunal can now give a new trial, and inquiry into the truth and effect of such affidavits is left entirely to you and the

pardon board to determine whether the sentence of death shall stand or whether there shall be commutation or pardon.

Life Imprisonment Urged.

"Third—While pardon would be unjustifiable under such circumstances unless upon credible evidence warranting belief that he is innocent or that great and manifest injustice had been done, yet commutation to life imprisonment may well be urged in view of this consideration alone—viz: the jury in reaching its verdict as to the punishment is presumed to have considered testimony now claimed to have been perjured. The boy giving the testimony has since sworn that it is untrue. No one can tell whether it is or not with any degree of certainty, but it has the effect of casting suspicion upon the testimony of others and of creating doubt as to some matters considered by the jury and with some people as to Billik's guilt.

"To enforce the penalty of death under such circumstances will not, in my judgment, meet with general approbation. It is a natural way for many to think, where any doubt is raised, the penalty should not be death and an opportunity should be left to rectify any possible wrong, but that the convicted party should suffer imprisonment till it is demonstrated that a mistake has been made as to his guilt.

Commutation Is Recommended.

"Hence, on full reflection of the consequences that may follow upon popular notions of law and justice, and believing that there are features in this case calculated to produce general dissatisfaction with our system of administering justice if the sentence of death is commuted, I think it would be a sound and just exercise of your discretion if you commuted the sentence to life imprisonment.

"While I deprecate a precedent that may encourage some witness in the future to cast discredit upon his own testimony to save the life of one he has helped convict, yet this case is so unusual I feel warranted and compelled to make such recommendation.'

"We therefore feel that under the circumstances the death penalty should not be inflicted and that the sentence should be commuted to life imprisonment. We therefore recommend that sentence of death be commuted to life imprisonment."

Billik Hears the News.

Billik was asleep in cell No. 604 on the sixth floor of the jail when he was aroused by Guard Michael Gamohl, who was on duty, and notified him of the commutation of his sentence. The murderer looked as if dazed for a few moments before he realized what was being told to him and then uttered a few incoherent words of thanks.

The action of Gov. Deneen concludes probably the most spectacular fight ever conducted for a man's life in Illinois. Six times Billik has stood within the shadow of the gallows and in each instance he was reprieved.

In the instance of the temporary reprieve granted by Federal Judge Landis the prisoner was preparing his death statement under the guidance of Father O'Callaghan of the Paulist Fathers, when word of Judge Landis' action was brought to the county jail.

Accused of Poisoning Five.

Billik, who is 42 years old and was born in Volfort of Bohemian parents, was indicted more than two years ago for having poisoned five members of the Vrsal family. He was placed on trial in June, 1907, before Judge Alfred C. Barnes for the murder of Mary Vrsal, the oldest daughter, and was found guilty on July 18, 1907. He denied his guilt and blamed Mrs. Emma Vrsal Niemann for his prosecution because he had incurred her enmity. The jury fixed his punishment at death and he was sentenced to die on Oct. 8, 1907.

Through the efforts of Father O'Callaghan and Attorney Hinckley money was raised to take the case to the Supreme court and on the day set for his execution he was reprieved until Nov. 8, 1907. On that day he obtained a respite until Jan. 20, 1908 and at that time the sentence was stayed again until [illegible] 24, 1908.

The Supreme court last February affirmed Billik's conviction and two day later Jerry Vrsal, 17 years old, one of the principal witnesses against Billik made an affidavit to Father Peter J. O'Callaghan in which he said that he had perjured himself. He also accused his little sister Bertha of having testified falsely.

Strenuous Fight for Life.

Attorney Hinckley petitioned the Supreme court on March 16, 1908, for a rehearing of the case, but this was denied on April 9. Billik's lawyers then sought the state board of pardons, and on April 16 Gov. Deneen and the board met in the Criminal court building and heard the case, after which another reprieve was granted. A few days later the board met again and decided that it would not interfere with Billik's execution.

In another effort to save him from the gallows Attorney S. S. Gregory made application for a writ of habeas corpus before Judge K. M. Landis on the ground that the prisoner had not been asked whether he wished to say anything before sentence was pronounced by Judge Barnes. Judge Landis granted this writ on June 12.

Thereafter followed several reprieves until a few weeks ago, when Lieut. Gov. Sherman in the absence of Gov. Deneen again staid Billik's execution.

The final date set for the hanging of Billik was next Friday.

SURGEON'S FORCEPS IN WOUND KILL PATIENT AFTER YEARS.

Philadelphia Young Woman Dies Following Eleven Years of Mysterious Suffering—Instruments Are Found.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 22.—A pair of surgeon's forceps accidentally sewed up in the abdomen after an operation eleven years ago caused the death of Miss Mary G. Donovan of this city Wednesday.

The operation in which the unfortunate mistake occurred was performed by a surgeon of this city of high reputation, who has since died. The facts in the case were suspected only a few days ago, following an X-ray examination made on the advice of physicians.

She was immediately operated upon at the University hospital, but the measure had been too long delayed and her death followed a few hours later. It was stated by the young woman's brother today that the operation eleven years ago on his sister, who had been from childhood an invalid, was at first believed to have been a success. Afterward strange symptoms developed and since that time Miss Donovan's life has been one long search for the cause of her illness.

The forceps when discovered were completely imbedded in the intestines.

WOULD MERGE CHURCH CLUBS.

Movement Started Looking to Consolidation of Men's Organization Into One Central Body.

A movement to amalgamate men's church clubs and brotherhoods of the various denominations in Chicago into one central organization was started last evening at a meeting of representatives of men's clubs at the Hamilton club. Addresses favoring the project were made by Prof. Albion W. Small, Ald. Dixon, Judge Newcomer, Judge McSurely, and Marquis Eaton.

Assistant City Attorney Arthur V. Lee, chairman of the meeting, was empowered to appoint a committee of fifteen members from among the various men's clubs and brotherhoods to draw up a plan of organization.

REPUBLICANS FIX A PRIMARY SLATE

Isaac N. Powell Indorsed for City Treasurer and Jacob H. Marks for Clerk.

HARD JOLT FOR LORIMER.

John McCabe Gets Brunt of It by Failing to Be Chosen for Renomination.

For city treasurer.....
.....ISAAC N. POWELL, Seventh ward
For city clerk.....
...JACOB H. MARKS, Seventeenth ward

Such were the candidates for the respective offices indorsed for nomination at the February primaries by the Republican county committee yesterday. By this action they are made the candidates of the party organization for the nominations.

The indorsement of Marks for the clerkship, and the consequent blow to the hopes of City Clerk John McCabe of succeeding himself, was a surprise. It was done as a lesson to Congressman William Lorimer and a gentle reminder to him that when a man starts to fight he must expect to receive as well as give blows. McCabe was retired through a desire to check Mr. Lorimer. He was in the position of the innocent bystander who intercepts the brick.

The city clerk hails from the Twentieth ward. At the governorship primaries he left the Blount-Galpin faction, which was supporting Gov. Deneen for renomination, and trained with the Lorimer-Moxley one supporting Yates. The Yates matter was not especially important, but backing Moxley for county committeeman was, and this put McCabe in bad standing among his old friends.

At that he might have been all right before the entire county committee, had not Congressman Lorimer, his present leader, been making so much trouble for the leaders of the committee in their attempt to elect A. J. Hopkins United States senator. It was felt that Mr. Lorimer was becoming too busy at Springfield and needed a check. The quickest one in sight was to beat his candidate for city clerk.

Galpin Repudiates McCabe.

It was done in a workmanlike and polite way. The meeting of the committee was called for 10 o'clock in the morning and at that time the leaders went into caucus while the minor people waited outside. In the caucus were Mayor Busse, Postmaster Campbell, State Chairman Roy O. West, County Clerk Haas, Homer K. Galpin, Chairman Charles W. Andrews, Commissioner of Public Works Hanberg and City Sealer Kjellander. When McCabe's name came up Mr. Galpin protested against his selection. He explained McCabe was not the choice of the Twentieth ward; its candidate was John T. O'Connell. McCabe should not be credited to the Twentieth ward.

That settled McCabe at once and them Marks was selected. His indorsement killed two birds with one stone. It prevented the indorsement of Ald. Albert Beilfuss for city treasurer, as both come from the same territory, Marks from the Seventeenth and Beilfuss the Fifteenth ward, thus leaving the way clear for Powell and at the same time beat Lorimer's candidate.

Isaac N. Powell is chief clerk of the board of election commissioners. He is politically affiliated with the West faction in the Seventh ward.

Jacob H. Marks is a clerk in the county treasurer's office. He is a cousin of Judge Leander Hilmes and acts for him in Seventeenth ward matters.

Democrats to Pick Candidates.

The Democratic county committee took up the question of indorsing city candidates at its meeting at headquarters in the evening. It was decided to have the executive committee at its meeting this afternoon recommend candidates for submission to the full committee meeting next Monday night. So far only one candidate for each office has been urged for the Democratic nomination. They are:

City treasurer...HARRY HILDRETH, Sixth ward
City clerk...JAMES CONSIDINE, Thirteenth ward

Hildreth is deputy city treasurer. Considine has been an alderman from the Thirteenth ward.

The Legislative Voters' league has sent to Speaker Shurtleff a letter treating of the importance of legislation this session extending the civil service law to all public employment in Cook county and asking that he appoint to handle it a house committee "so constituted as to assure public confidence not only in the sincerity of its consideration but also in the result of its deliberations when such shall be reported for final action."

Henry P. Heizer of Morgan Park has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for judge of the Circuit court. He is the law partner of Speaker Edward Shurtleff.

The Iroquois club will give a housewarming in its new home at 119 La Salle street this afternoon.

Howard Hayes for Alderman.

A warm contest for the Republican nomination for alderman in the Sixth ward is in prospect, half a dozen candidates already having been put forward by their friends.

The man who is attracting particular attention as a possibility is Howard Hayes, an assistant corporation counsel. Hayes has been in the city employ nearly two years and has forged to the front as a legal authority on numerous lines of municipal government, particularly matters pertaining to transportation. As a result of his conspicuous ability he was assigned to the city council's committee on local transportation for the drafting of transportation ordinances. He is 31 years old.

Other possible candidates among the Sixth ward Republicans are Abrsham A. Roth, assistant probate judge; Theodore K. Long, Robert Levy, and John Fogle.

BANKER'S SON SUED BY GIRL.

Former Servant Demands $50,000 from Employe of Former Secretary Metcalf's Office.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Miss Clara Haggett, a former servant, has filed suit for $50,000 for breach of promise against Philip E. Bowles Jr., son of P. E. Bowles, an Oakland banker.

Young Bowles formerly was private secretary of former Secretary of the Navy Metcalf. The young woman is a handsome brunette of 22, while Bowles is 24. Miss Haggett says she met Bowles while he was a student at the University of California.

"Mr. Bowles and I lived as husband and wife," she said, "for I confidently relied on his protestations of love and his promise that we should wed. We spent some time in Seattle and at a lumber camp, where I was the only woman. We had fashionable apartments in Washington, and I was always known as Mrs. Philip E. Bowles Jr. I nursed him when he was ill and sold my jewelry to help him in distress. I tried to act as a dutiful wife to her husband."

P. E. Bowles Sr. has resisted the demands of the young woman on the ground that it is an attempt to blackmail.

DAUGHTER FOR SARAH TRUAX.

Child Born to Mrs. Charles S. Albert, Former Chicago Actress, in Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—A daughter was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Albert of Minneapolis, Mrs. Albert having been Miss Sarah Truax, an actress.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert were married in a Chicago hospital just one year ago today, while the bride was convalescent from appendicitis. Mr. Albert's courtship of Miss Truax began while she was on the stage.

Indorsed for City Offices by Republican Party Heads.

JACOB H. MARKS — ISAAC N. POWELL

HOW GARDEN WON FROM OSCAR

Makes Public Letters Between Her and Impresario.

RENEWS CONTRACT FOR 1910

Singer Gets Exclusive Rights in Roles She Creates.

New York, Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Mary Garden supplied to the newspapers today a few recent communications between herself and Oscar Hammerstein. They show, among other things, that he has agreed she shall have the exclusive right to appear in all operatic roles she created or will create during her stay in the Manhattan Opera house. He also renewed her contract for next year.

"There has been some misapprehension as to my attitude and as to the outcome of the recent unpleasantness," remarked Miss Garden in making public the correspondence. "Now that everything has been pleasantly adjusted, we are all friends again. I think the matter will be understood better by the reading of the actual letters that have passed between Mr. Hammerstein and myself. They speak for themselves.

"I was advised throughout by Samuel Untermyer as my counsel and tried to act with a spirit of moderation and patience in the assertion of my rights, incidentally allowing Mr. Hammerstein to monopolize the public prints, at which he is a past grand master. I am glad, though, that all is peace again, for I admire Mr. Hammerstein immensely. As an impresario he has not his peer in the world, and he is every inch a man, though at times an unreasonable one."

Hammerstein Explains to Her.

Then she gave out the letters. The first one from Mr. Hammerstein is as follows:

My Dear Miss Garden: In the present case Mlle. Cavalieri was engaged by me but for a period of six weeks for six performances, comprising appearances in "Thais," "Faust," "Tosca," "Pagliacci."

I will not allow the friendly relations which existed between us from the time of the signing of our contract and the supreme loyalty you have at all times exhibited for me to be severed by an incident unworthy of even causing a shadow of estrangement.

I have tried to explain to you the urgency of fulfilling my contract with authors and composers of several of the French works during the rest of this season. Had I anticipated the causes that you deem of such seriousness I certainly would have conferred with you in advance. Yours ever,
OSCAR HAMMERSTEIN.

Sends Her Ultimatum to Him.

Miss Garden's reply to this read as follows:

Dear Mr. Hammerstein: In replying to your letter of this date I can see no occasion for further discussion of the unpleasant subject matter of our controversy. I regret to have to repeat that in the action you have taken you have violated both the letter and spirit of our understanding. I am advised that your action constitutes a distinct breach of my rights, entitling me to hold you for such damages as I may sustain. I am ready and always have been and will be to sing "Thais" whenever and wherever you please, regardless of my other work, but as I understand your attitude our contract relations have now been severed and I shall not again appear at the opera house until I receive proper assurances that you withdraw from your present attitude. Yours truly,
MARY GARDEN.

Complies with Her Request.

Mr. Hammerstein studied over this for a day and then sent the following:

My Dear Miss Garden: Mr. Coini informs me that if I consent to you having rôles you created and will create in the répertoire of my operas exclusively during the existence of the contract between us you will be willing to proceed with rehearsals and the continuation of performances and restoration of our former relations. Such a request I readily will comply with, provided you will give me your assurance of acceptance in writing. Yours,
OSCAR HAMMERSTEIN.

Her Final Letter Formal.

Miss Garden replied with this formal letter:

Oscar Hammerstein, Manhattan Opera House.—
Dear Sir: I hereby accept the modifications of our existing agreement, as set forth in your letter of this date. It is, of course, understood "Salome," as well as any operas hereafter produced by you in any opera house or theater under your management, and which you produce for the first time in this country, and in which I take part, will be included in our present agreement, and that as to all such operas, as well as those mentioned in our old contract, and "The Juggler," you are not to produce or permit the production of any such operas during the term of our agreement or any renewal of the term, unless I sing and play the rôles of such operas created by me. You are not to substitute any one in any rôle without my express consent, given in writing under my own signature. Yours truly,
MARY GARDEN.

WASHINGTON RELIC TO MORGAN.

Financier Buys Historic Sword, and, It Is Understood, Will Present It to Mount Vernon Association.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 22.—J. Pierpont Morgan of New York has purchased from Miss Virginia Taylor Wise of this city the sword worn by Gen. George Washington when he resigned his commission as commander in chief of the American army in Annapolis in 1783. Mr. Morgan, it is understood, will present the relic to the Mount Vernon association. The price paid is understood to be in excess of $25,000.

HOPKINS' DEFEAT TO UNITE PARTY?

(Continued from first page.)

to introduce the name of ex-Lieut. Gov. Sherman Tuesday when the thirteenth ballot is taken, and Mr. Sherman is expected to poll a respectable vote in the further course of the deadlock.

One Hope Left to Hopkins.

There is one desperate plan open to the Hopkins organization, one which is not likely to be used. The record of contests heard by the United States senate committees has been examined and it has been ascertained that the senate recognizes an election secured by a majority of a quorum, not requiring a constitutional majority.

If the Hopkins vote could be raised to a total of 88 or 90, and if a portion of the minority side of the house would absent itself, Mr. Hopkins might secure a majority of a quorum. The first difficulty in the way of such an attempt is created by the watchfulness of the Lorimer and Shurtleff forces.

If a Hopkins man had the house gavel, things might be vastly different, but with one of the senator's enemies in the chair the joint session can be forced to "arise" at any time the Lorimer organization wishes it to. About the time an unusual number of vacancies on the Democratic side was discovered the joint session would "arise" and remain "arisen" until the absent statesmen returned to their posts of duty.

Both Senator Hopkins and Mayor Busse have endeavored to straighten out the differences between the senator and Congressman Lorimer, but neither has succeeded, and both recognise that the congressman is in the fight to uncat Mr. Hopkins and will not be deducted from his set purpose.

The mayor, furthermore, finds that Mr. Lorimer is in alliance with legislators who heretofore have been amenable to city hall influence and that he cannot persuade some of his own men to join the Hopkins forces.

Foss Ready to Plunge In.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Representative George Edmund Foss has decided to precipitate himself into the midst of the senatorial row at Springfield and see what he can do towards sending himself to the senate in place of Albert J. Hopkins. Mr. Foss will leave here tomorrow for Chicago and hopes to be at Springfield on Tuesday, when further conclusions in the senatorial matter are to be tried.

The naval appropriation bill which Mr. Foss has had in charge as chairman of house committee on naval affairs was disposed of by the house this afternoon. This gives Mr. Foss a clear field as far as Washington duties are concerned. If there is any grand stand virtue in having remained at his post of duty in Washington at a time when interesting developments in his home state were calling many other statesmen thitherward he can now claim it, for on the day that the balloting commenced at the state capital he walked on to the house floor with his mass of naval papers and documents, called up his bill and commenced to discharge what might be considered his patriotic duty.

Mr. Foss says that in the meanwhile letters and telegrams by the score urging him to go to Illinois and make a personal fight for senatorship have been received.

Friends Urge Him to Battle.

"I think I shall leave for Illinois tomorrow," said Mr. Foss this afternoon. "My friends are urging me to present myself at Springfield and make a bid for legislative votes which they say can be mine for the asking. Inasmuch as the struggle in the legislature is now on and Senator Hopkins seems to have failed in getting the vote which was apparently accorded to him by the primary, I consider that I can put myself into the contest without any risk of being criticised for going contrary to what the primary vote apparently ordered in connection with the senatorship."

Mr. Foss had nothing to say about his chances of winning the senatorship, but allowed his actions to speak for him on that score. He has been advised that his chances are good and undoubtedly believes that his informants know what they are talking about.

CLASS PRESIDENT IN JAIL; TRIES TO BURN COLLEGE INN.

J. M. Lundy of Harvey, Ill., Confesses Starting Fires at Lawrence University in Order to Get Insurance.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—J. M. Lundy of Harvey, Ill., president of the junior class at Lawrence university here, confessed today to three attempts to burn the College Inn last Saturday inorder to obtain the insurance. Lundy is in jail tonight and will have a hearing tomorrow.

The inn is a boarding house conducted for the students by Lundy. He became involved in debt to the amount of $1,300 and the insurance policies being for practically this amount he sought to recoup his losses by attempting to collect the insurance. After the firemen responded to three alarms at the inn on Saturday they became suspicious and Lundy was taken into custody.

Lundy has been prominent in college athletic and social circles and his confession has caused a sensation among the students. Lundy's parents live at Harvey, Ill.

HOLDS COURT OVER TELEPHONE

Judge, Quarantined on Account of Scarlet Fever, Keeps Wheels of Justice Moving.

Kittanning, Pa., Jan. 22.—Quarantined in his home on account of his little daughter having scarlet fever, Judge Harry Wilson of Clarion held court over the telephone today, hearing motions and making orders to the attorneys and the clerk, who were at the court house.

JURY KNOCKS OUT UNIVERSITY RULE

Gives Prof. Edward Capps Judgment for Full Claim of $2,500 for Extra Work.

REFUSES TO PERMIT CUT.

Statute Deducting One-Third of Salary Denounced by Lawyer as a Swindle.

The contention of Prof. Edward Capps that the University of Chicago, in which he was formerly an instructor of Greek, owes him $2,500 for extra vacation salary, was upheld yesterday by a jury in Municipal Judge Wells' court. The university trustees attempted to withhold $833.33 of the claim under a rule requiring forfeiture of one-third the salary due by any instructor who resigns or dies while in service.

According to S. O. Levinson, one of the counsel for Prof. Capps, the suit has attracted considerable attention among instructors.

"The reason for this is obvious," said Mr. Levinson, "when it is noted in the evidence that the University of Chicao has a statute which provides that in case of the resignation of a professor, or in the event of his death, only two-thirds of accrued extra vacation salary shall be paid. Any decision in a case of the kind is important to instructors everywhere."

Standard Oil Is Mentioned.

Attorney Cecil Page, one of the ten counsel for the university, made a motion that the case be taken from the jury on the grounds that Attorney Levinson had made a statement connecting the university and Standard Oil company in such a way that it might prejudice the defendant's case. Judge Wells denied the motion.

Attorney Levinson later made the following statement concerning the charge.

"I made a jest to Mr. Page before the case had begun and before a jury had been empaneled that since the university has received another $1,000,000 Prof. Capps ought not to have a hard time in effecting a settlement."

Harry Pratt Judson, president of the university, was on the witness stand in the morning, and counsel for both sides had a hard time getting his testimony before the jury. Whenever the lawyers failed to make objections to questions put to the witness the court intervened and ruled that the questions were not material.

One of the questions asked President Judson by Attorney Levinson was:

"Does any other university dock professors one-third of their pay for extra work?"

Counsel for the university asserted that the question was so worded as to be of improper implication and that the action of other schools or officials had no bearing on the case.

Statute Called a Swindle.

By agreement the arguments before the jury were made as short as possible, but were interspersed at times with pithy statements on the part of Prof. Capps' lawyers. Attorney C. E. Cleveland in his argument said:

"Prof. Capps has earned the money he asks for here. Had such a method been employed by a business man instead of an alleged eleemosynary institution it would be called a common swindle."

"Common what?" asked Attorney Page.

"Common swindle." I say it again, common swindle," retorted Attorney Cleveland. "Why should Prof. Capps' salary be cut one-third for such a sordid reason after he accepted the position in Princeton university? The vacation credits were earned and they should be paid him."

The jury deliberated an hour and a half before reaching a decision. Prof. Capps, who waited until the last minute to hear the decision, left at night for Princeton. He is a professor in Princeton university.

IRISH GIRL AIDED IN COURT; CLUBWOMEN WITH DEFENSE.

Attorney O'Donnell Charges Raids on Room, but Importer Who Alleges Lace Thefts Denies Persecution.

Supported by a dozen members of the Irish Fellowship society and a score of philanthropic women of other organizations, Attorney Patrick H. O'Donnell told Judge Hume yesterday that Miss Ella Gingles, an Irish girl accused of stealing lace from an importer's store, had been a victim of persecution.

In the preliminary hearing of the case brought against the girl by Miss Agnes Barrett of the Wellington hotel, the lawyer took full advantage of his opportunity to tell his protégé's story.

Attorney O'Donnell charged that Miss Barrett and a sister went to Miss Gingles' room at 474 La Salle avenue, ransacked her bureau, and claimed ownership of pieces of lace of the girl's own manufacture, of pieces of jewelry she had brought with her from Ireland, and of articles of wearing apparel she had purchased.

Miss Barrett's story was that she had missed about $150 worth of her lace after she had given Miss Gingles employment in making lace collars, and that when she learned the girl had been showing lace in a downtown store she became suspicious.

She presented in evidence dozens of pieces of lace that she said she had found in Miss Gingles' room and which she knew had been taken from her store.

INSPECTORS ARE WATCHING SLAUGHTERERS OF HORSES.

Equine Flesh Shipped from Here to Belgium as "Corned Beef," but Local Sales Not Proved.

Health department inspectors have been investigating charges that horse flesh is sold in the city for beef. The proprietor of one establishment admitted that he uses horse flesh for "corned beef," but insists all of it was shipped to Belgium.

Three men arrested in connection with the crusade have been tried before Municipal Judge Girton. Oscar Ripke, 3422 Irving avenue, was fined $25 on Jan. 13 for bringing into the city a load of horse meat without health department permission. Albert Kuehm was fined on Jan. 13 for bringing a load of flesh into the city at night; John Murphy was fined $25 on Jan. 10 for having in his possession a horse carcass already dressed as if for sale or pickling.

BAD CHECK LAID TO OFFICIAL.

Mattoon City Attorney Arrested, but Pays $50, Amount Involved, and Gets Off.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—City Attorney Francis M. Phipps of Mattoon, was arrested today on a state warrant charging him with passing a worthless check on Samuel Morris, a restaurant man of this city. Phipps made arrangements to pay $50, the amount of the check, and was allowed to return home.

The check was given to Morris several days ago and was drawn on the Mattoon National bank. Morris says the payment of the check was protested at the bank and he was unable to secure a settlement with the lawyer. A state warrant for the arrest of Phipps was sworn out and a deputy sheriff went to Mattoon and arrested him.

Phipps came to Springfield and met Morris and an immediate settlement was secured. The warrant was withdrawn and Phipps was allowed to return to his home in the afternoon.

REFORM TO SWEEP CITY HALL

Civil Service for All City Employes Promised.

OBTAINS IDEAS IN THE EAST.

President Lower's Recommendations Backed by Mayor and Council.

Equal salaries for equal work among city employes may be realized in Chicago before long, as the result of an important conference held yesterday.

A complete reorganization and systematizing of the classified service of the city is to be made by the civil service commission. Mayor Busse and President Milton Lower of the commission appeared before the finance committee and obtained the promise of the coöperation of the committee and the council in the administration's effort to reform the civil service of the city.

Equal salaries, the doing away with increases in salary for employes favored by council action, and promotion by examination only are three of the things contemplated. Complete plans for the change will require months of work and will necessitate prolonged conferences with the head of every department.

Affects Present Appropriation.

They will also mean incidentally that no increases in salary in the classified service can be made in the present appropriation.

The action is part of Mayor Busse's general plans for procuring increased efficiency from city employes and requiring them to do somewhere near the amount of work which would be required of them if working for a private individual or firm. It is directly the result of the trip of President Lower to Washington and other eastern cities, which were pioneers in the civil service movement. Mr. Lower declares the straight promotional plan of civil service in use here is antiquated and that it has been abandoned by the federal government and by New York and Boston.

As preliminary to the new system the commission will have to make three changes:

The establishment of an extensive and uniform system of grades throughout the classified service.

Prohibiting the increase of the salary of any classified employé out of his grade except by promotional examination.

Establishment of departmental civil service, limiting promotional examinations to the individual departments.

Political Pull Unavailing.

The grades will be clearly established, wherever possible, by their different duties and authority. Where it cannot be established on duties it will be fixed by compensation.

Uniform salaries for employés in the same grade will be insisted on by the commission. A clerk in grade one, for example, cannot by political influence have his salary increased by the council. To increase his salary the council would have to raise the salary of every clerk in that grade.

WEIRD VIEWS END IN DEATH; GIRL SUICIDE LEAVES DIARY.

Music the Only Happiness of Alice Law, and Even That, She Says, Is Half Pain.

Search made last night through the meager belongings of Miss Alice Law, who committed suicide early in the day by inhaling gas in her room at 5427 Indiana avenue, showed that she was a young woman of most unusual temperament.

After the girl's death it was found that she had possessed rather than kept a diary for the last year and had purchased one for 1909, upon the title pages of both of which appeared this sentence:

"All my happiness is here set forth."

Every page in both diaries was blank, with the exception of an entry under the date of Dec. 31, 1908. Upon this closing day of the year she had written:

"No happiness. Not one day. Even music is half pain."

Music appears to have been her great pleasure, although she never had taken a lesson in her life. She played extemporaneously, and some of her compositions are said to have been of some beauty.

Miss Law frequently talked of suicide with her friends and business associates. She was employed as a reader of technical copy for books by the Myron C. Clark Publishing company, 355 Dearborn street, and received a salary of $18 a week, that was to have been raised next month. She never accepted the attentions of young men, sent much of her money to her mother, Mrs. R. A. Law of Wilton, N. D., and devoted her leisure almost entirely to music.

DELAY OF COUNTY'S BUDGET BLAMED ON THREE PERSONS.

Certain Members of Finance Committee Said to Be Holding Out for Higher Pay for Favorite Employes.

President Busse of the county board accused certain unnamed members of the finance committee yesterday of a "pernicious and rotten" custom, which he holds responsible for the delay in reporting on the annual appropriations.

Mr. Busse, as ex-officio member of the committee, and Chairman Van Steenberg, and two other members believe in equalizing the pay of clerks doing the same grade of work. The other three members of the committee are holding out for increased pay to certain favorite employés, it is said.

It is rumored that these three men refuse to agree on the annual budget until they get what they demand. An attempt will be made to pass the appropriation over the heads of the dissenting members.

Members of the county board deny the rumor of a scheme to increase their own pay from $3,600 to $4,500. The majority of the commissioners agree that if the increase was voted it would not stand the test of the courts.

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BLAME CRIB FIRE ON TORCH BEARER

Witnesses Before Police Agree Man Saved from Tunnel Entered Powder House.

HE ADMITS IT WAS DUTY.

Coroner in Meantime Completes Preparations for a Great Funeral Today.

After a day and a night of cross-examination by Acting Chief of Police Schuettler, Nathan Fults, 163 Twenty-third street, a negro driller, made admissions which, it is thought, will fasten upon him the direct negligence responsible for the fire Wednesday morning in the George W. Jackson "intermediate" crib and the consequent loss of nearly seventy lives.

Fults, who was arrested upon leaving the South Chicago hospital, where he had been taken after being found unconscious in the tunnel under the lake, was brought to the point of confession and it is thought by the police that he will tell the entire story today. He was taken to a hotel under police guard late at night.

Two other survivors of the disaster gave testimony directly corroborative of the story told by Logan Miller that Fults had taken a torch from him, lighted it, and passed into the section of the crib reserved for dynamite used in blasting. A few seconds after Fults was seen to emerge the flames that brought such havoc of death burst forth.

Seek Official Responsibility.

While the police are continuing today the work of taking depositions Coroner Peter M. Hoffman and State's Attorney John E. W. Wayman will work along other lines in preparation for the inquest that starts next Wednesday. City officials will be called upon to testify in the effort to place the indirect responsibility for the catastrophe.

Today also the streets of South Chicago will be the scene of a strange procession. Forty-eight hearses, bearing the pieces of bodies that were picked out of the wreck, will wind through the streets from the morgue on Ninety-second street to Greenwood cemetery. Two hundred policemen will march ahead of the procession. The stores will be closed. Services will be held both in Catholic and Protestant churches early in the morning.

One Admission by Fults.

Fults was given several opportunities to unburden himself, but he hesitated. He stuck in the main to the story told in the hospital, that he had gone directly down the shaft and had not entered the powder house. He admitted, however, that he was the only man who had occasion to use a blast of powder at that time in the morning, as it was his turn to shoot.

He admitted also he received a torch from Miller, but said he did not light it until he got down into the bottom of the shaft. He denied he had said to Miller: "I will get some powder now."

Two other witnesses confirmed the police theory of Fults' guilt. They were Charles Rose, 935 Thirty-fifth street, an electrician, and Henry Lee Franklin, 5111 Armour avenue, a negro drill hand.

Rose said positively that he saw a negro go to the powder room, torch in hand, a few seconds before the fire leaped out of that room.

Franklin gave testimony of the most directly corroborative nature.

"I heard Fults and Miller talking," said he. "Miller handed Fults his torch after lighting it. Then he said to Fults:

"'There isn't enough powder in the shaft, but there are plenty of cape there.'"

"Fults then said to Miller:

"'All right, I'll go and get some powder.'

"Fults went into the powder room with the torch in his hand just before the fire."

William Summers, who is being held by the police, declares that Fults was the last man to go into the powder room.

City Officials to Explain.

A full explanation from city officials who might be held responsible in any way for the conditions making the disaster possible will be required by Coroner Hoffman. City Engineer Ericson, Commissioner of Public Works Hanberg, George F. Samuel, the inspector on duty at the crib, Building Commissioner Campbell, Fire Marshal Horan, and possibly others, will be called upon to explain their acts at the inquest next Wednesday.

The responsibility for the conditions at the crib, which were admittedly bad in several particulars, was shifted from one official to another in the city hall. After a day of sifting evidence the situation appeared to resolve itself into this:

The city engineer's office was the only one that took official cognisance of any part of the construction work at the crib and under the law probably is responsible for the conditions that existed.

While the George W. Jackson corporation in its contract guaranteed to obey the building ordinances of the city, there was no one at the crib at any time to see that this part of the contract was carried out except the representative of the city engineer's office.

Says They Did Their Best.

City Engineer Ericson discussed the subject in all its phases with freedom, taking part of the blame and shifting another part to the building department.

"From what I know of the plans and how they were carried out I should say that all practicable precautions were taken by the contractors," said he.

"As for the building part of it, the place where the men slept, I should say that was up to the building department.

"Last spring I received complaints about the way the dynamite was being used out there and I sent down to Mr. Hanberg a letter setting forth my ideas of how the law should be amended. I never heard of that letter again."

Commissioner Hanberg said he knew nothing more of the work at the crib than Mr. Ericson had reported to him. The letter concerning explosives, he said, had been referred to the mayor's office.

Building Commissioner Campbell said he never had heard of the crib and that the jurisdiction of his department did not extend into the lake, anyway. He did not even know the name of the contractor.

Assistant Fire Marshal Seyferlich said that last spring an inspection was made of the storage of explosives and everything was found all right. He said at that time it was not the intention of the company to let men sleep over the powder room and admitted that it was a bad situation when this practice was allowed.

Coroner Promises Broad Inquiry.

Coroner Hoffman, in discussing the general situation, said:

"It looks as if Schuettler is hot on the track of the person immediately responsible for the fire, but I am withholding personal comment for the present. The investigation will be carried on on broad lines and with impartiality. The jury selected is one of the best obtainable for this kind of an inquest, where much technical matter is likely to be involved."

"What I want to do now is to see this funeral carried out. I expect to be in South Chicago in the morning with Acting Chief Schuettler and Inspector Hunt. James Markham, secretary to the chief of police, will have immediate charge of the funeral."

Jackson Discredits Miller Story.

Mr. Jackson said:

"I do not place much weight on the story of Miller that he saw Fults go into the powder room with a lighted torch. I do not see how a man could place so little value on his life. The powder room was guarded all the time. It is my theory, judging from the twenty-six statements, that the fire was caused by an employé smoking in the sleeping rooms, which was against the rules. All agree that the first smoke was seen coming from the bunkroom.

"We used all the safety precautions that we could think of. We did not consider it necessary to get a building permit and were not asked to do so. We followed the custom of all crib construction, but we had things in better shape."

Prepare for Spectacular Funeral.

In answer to invitations delivered at their doors by policemen, 150 relatives of crib victims appeared at the Municipal courtroom on the second floor of the South Chicago police station at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to participate in making arrangements for the spectacular funeral which is to be held at South Chicago today. Coroner Hoffman and Acting Chief of Police Schuettler presided. Practically all the Roman Catholic clergymen of South Chicago were in attendance, and several Protestant ministers were there.

"It is with deep regret and sorrow we meet here today in behalf of the officials of the city of Chicago and the county of Cook," said the coroner. "We are here to extend to the relatives and to the friends of the dead all the kindness and courtesy we possibly can. Mr. Jackson's firm has agreed to give to all of the dead a Christian burial, the arrangements for which will be consummated here."

Pastors Describe Services.

The Rev. Father Edward O'Reilly of St. Patrick's church then made a brief statement of the arrangements made by the Catholics.

He said that at 10 o'clock this morning in the Church of the Immaculate Conception in South Chicago solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated.

Simultaneously with the Catholic services, Protestant services will be held in the Presbyterian church at Ninety-first street and Commercial avenue by the Rev. Eli T. Allen, pastor of the church, and ministers of other Protestant denominations from South Chicago and nearby districts.

Acting Chief Schuettler conferred with Inspector Hunt respecting the police arrangements for the funeral. It was decided that full uniform with white gloves would look better than plain clothes for a formal ceremony and the policemen were instructed to appear in their best uniforms, with white gloves, standing collars, and black ties.

The procession will start for Mount Greenwood cemetery at 1 o'clock.

Diver Recovers Body No. 48.

City Diver Donovan recovered the forty-eighth body while searching the lake about half a block from the burned crib during the day. The body was that of a white man and by a check marked "No. 245-B" was identified as that of John L. Doo, 7657 South Chicago avenue. The body was brought to Chicago on a tug and sent to Curtin's morgue, 148 Wells street. It is probable that the body will be taken to South Chicago this morning and interred with the others.

Additional persons reported missing brought the dead and missing list up to sixty-nine. The names are Alexander Turner, negro, 27 years old, 1705 Dearborn street, and Joseph Standur, 28 years old, a boarder at the house of Mrs. Frank Pilichowski, 8836 Exchange avenue.

Andrew Fox, 567 State street, one of the men lost in the crib fire, was engaged to be married to an Alton, Ill., woman. A letter from her was turned over to the police. It read in part:

"Your letter pleased me so much. It made me feel so happy that I cried for joy. I am making a lot of pretty things, Andrew, for our house. When you get our furniture get a china closet and a green rug for the dining room floor. I hope your arm is better. I don't want a one-armed husband, but one that can lift me up in his two arms, dearie."

GROCER MISSING; FRIENDS FEAR

Relatives Anxious Concerning H. Roberts, Who Disappeared Wednesday with $150 in His Possession.

H. Roberts, 3941 Frink street, disappeared on Wednesday and is believed by relatives to have suffered either from a sudden lapse of memory or to have been the victim of robbers. Roberts had $150 in his possession when he disappeared. He owns a grocery store at Fiftieth and Frink streets.

Girls Take Animal Roles in Circus for Vacation Schools.

MISS JANE CONKEY "TEDDY BRUISENFELT" — MISS HELEN UTLEY — MISS MARIE SANDERS "CIRCASSIAN BEAUTY" — MISS FRANCES HOOPER "SENTIMENTAL SALT PETER"

Kenwood reveled in a circus last night, society girls appearing in the rôle of trained animals. The circus was presented in Assembly hall, 4606 Ellis avenue, by the young women of the Kenwood institute as a benefit performance for the vacation school fund, and a tidy sum was reaped as the result.

The performance began with an overture by the German band, composed of Misses Nancy Simpson, Jane McFarland, Esther Brooks, Frances Adams, Margaret Walker, and Meise Vanderkoot. Then the ring events, superintended by Miss Grace Sherwood as ring mistress, came in rapid succession. First came the trained elephant, Misses Ruth Merrill and Marie Johnson, which was put through its "paces" by the clowns, Misses Frances Hooper and Josephine Newkirk.

The final "thriller" consisted in the appearance of "the $10,000 prize beauty," Miss Mildred Murphy, drawn round the ring in an automobile by the trained horse, Miss Eloise Wilson. The circus events were applauded enthusiastically by the families and friends of the performers and guests who were lucky enough to be included in the invitation list to the affair.

NEAR RIOT AT LIQUOR DEBATE

"Drys" and "Wets" Almost Clash During Arguments.

BRUBAKER WINS THE JUDGES

Auditors, However, Overwhelmingly Support Statements of Other Man.

What started out as a debate between Nicholas Michels, secretary of the committee of political action of the United Societies, and William A. Brubaker, chairman of the Prohibition central committee of Cook county, on the question of financing the city of Chicago without revenue from saloons, threatened at times to precipitate a riot last night at Oddfellows' hall, Twenty-sixth street and South Forty-second court.

While Mr. Brubaker was answering arguments propounded by Mr. Michels cat calls and roars of indignant denials of the Prohibitionist's statements came from all parts of the hall. Later while Mr. Michels was speaking he was interrupted time and again. Threats were frequently made to appeal for police and finally a patrolman put in an appearance.

Wins Judges, Loses Crowd.

A jury consisting of George Shirley, Joseph Ellsworth, William Dahlheint, A. Treibull, and Fred Jockem, all living in the neighborhood in which the debate was held, voted on the merits of the arguments advanced by the speakers and decided in favor of Mr. Brubaker by 4 to 1. The auditors by an overwhelming majority decided in favor of Mr. Michels in a rising vote.

A portion of Mr. Michel's arguments was devoted to statements alluding to Kansas City, Kas. Since that city has voted out saloons, he says, higher taxes have resulted, also insufficient revenues, vacant stores, a reduced police force, more murders, reduced fire force, higher insurance rates, "scrip" instead of cash, more bonds, drug store bars and "blind pigs" instead of saloons.

He declared that should Chicago vote out saloons there would be 7,100 vacant storerooms and a business paralysis would sweep through all industries.

Would Reduce Police Force.

Mr. Brubaker argued that if the revenue of over $7,000,000 from Chicago saloons were cut off it could be made up through a reduction of police, on the theory that crime would be reduced; that millions could be saved in putting municipal administration on a purely business basis; readjustment of assessments and taxation of stock of corporations.

The Prohibition advocate said he could not find Mr. Michel's name on the tax rolls. This was admitted by the United Societies official, who said he was too poor to get on the tax lists. Mr. Michel challenged Mr. Brubaker to a debate in any public hall on the subject, "Morality vs. the Saloon in the State of Maine." The challenge went unanswered.

ONE BADLY HURT IN CAR PANIC.

Woman's Skull Fractured When She Jumps Following the Blowing Out of a Fuse.

Two women were injured, one seriously, when a score of passengers on a north bound Western avenue car became panic stricken at the blowing out of a fuse near Huron street yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Annie Mayer, 1120 West Jackson boulevard, suffered a dislocation of the shoulder. Another woman jumped and struck on her head on the pavement, fracturing her skull. At a late hour last night she had not recovered consciousness. There was nothing by which she could be identified.

FLING AT MAYOR STIRS REPLY

Unexpected Colloquy at Anti-Cigaret Dinner.

BODINE PRODS FARWELL.

Says Administration Has Proved a Good Friend of Boys.

The annual anti-cigaret dinner of Lucy Page Gaston in the Kimball café last evening took an unexpected turn. Arthur Burrage Farwell slipped into the place of temporary chairman and slipped in a remark first thing that "the women of Chicago should have the ballot and we should then have a better mayor."

At the end of the table sat W. L. Bodine, a speaker who had spoken, but took occasion to speak again.

"I consider that the mayor of this city has been insulted here this evening," declared Mr. Bodine, springing to his feet, "and I rise to a point of order."

No one disputed his point, and he continued: "This is a meeting in the interests of childhood, and it is no place, Mr. Farwell, for you, as toastmaster, to air your personal grievance against the mayor. I cannot sit silent at the banquet board and hear the mayor of Chicago insulted.

Praises the Mayor.

"I rise to give credit to the present city administration as being one that is giving sympathetic, loyal, and material assistance to the cause of childhood. The boys of the city never had a better mayor than Fred A. Busse, and you know it."

Mr. Farwell later said: "I wish to give the mayor credit for some good points, and to say, as I told him the other day, I pray for him, with all other public officials, every morning."

Judge Lindsey, the speaker of the evening, was the innocent origin of the discussion, being, according to Mr. Farwell, "a living example of the men whom the woman's vote in Colorado has put into office."

Judge Lindsey Speaks.

Judge Lindsey said in part: "There is always a hero to rescue a child from a burning building and an oncoming train, yet while their souls are being burnt out by cigarets we have to sit and argue for the means to save them, and have the statements of our earnest advocates taken as a joke.

"Boys and all of us," he said, "are the product of habits. When a boy comes to me I try to find out his habits. A good character never comes from bad habits, and of the latter cigaret smoking is one of the greatest. Still, it is a mistake to say, as some of the workers against cigarets do, that they are the cause of all of the great trouble there is."

Miss Gaston's speech was brief. It ran as follows:

"Boys, you don't get this feed next year unless you sign up. There are slips as you go out at the door."

WARNS OF CONFIDENCE MEN.

Head of Brotherhood of Railway Car Men Says a Band of Swindlers Is Fleecing Merchants.

L. Redemus of Kansas City, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Railway Car Men of America, asked the Chicago police last night to be on the watch for confidence men who, he says, have obtained more than $10,000 from merchants and car men by representing themselves to be solicitors for the brotherhood. The men represented themselves as obtaining money for a hospital for broken down car men. According to Redemus, they are equipped with false credentials.

CLELAND RESUMES FORMER METHODS

Paroled Persons Report to Him in Court in Regard to Promises of Reform.

OTHER JUDGES NOT THERE

Stenographer, However, Reports Proceedings, Presumably for Justice Olson.

No member of the municipal judges' investigating committee attended last evening's session of Judge McKenzie Cleland's court at the Shakespears avenue police station, but right down at the lawyer's table, directly in front of the bench, was a busy person making a stenographic record of all that occurred.

Immediately upon the adjournment of court the stenographer disappeared mysteriously, and escaped questions of the identity of his employers, but he had been recognised as Charles L. Binns, who until the installation of John E. W. Wayman had charge of the court reporting for the state's attorney's office. In that capacity he became well known to Harry Olson, then assistant state's attorney and now chief justice of the Municipal court.

If the stenographer had received his instructions to make note of any unusual court happenings he did not go away empty handed.

Parole Class Is Examined.

The evening marked the reinstitution of Judge Cleland's system as he practiced it at the Maxwell street court. Some sixty men and boys were called before him to tell whether or not they had been "behaving" themselves, whether they had entered saloons, and whether they had been "calling their wives names."

Once the court confessed a mistake. Henry Kruger, a boy under charges of being a loiterer around saloons, answered to the name of Otto Kruger, who had been convicted of creating "rough house" while he was intoxicated. The boy said he was working, but had taken a glass of beer or two since he had last been before the court.

He was ordered locked up until morning under bonds of $400 and it was not until Ottd Kruger appeared later and stated that he had kept his promise to refrain from "touching a drop" that the case of mistaken identity was discovered and the boy released from his cell.

Punished for Breaking Promise.

An illustration of what Chief Justice Olson has called "punishment, not for his original offense but for breaking his word to Judge Cleland," was given the case of Ralph Rzekiecki, whose wife told the court that he had indulged in liquor since his parole.

"I have touched only a little beer," he protested, "and I can't drink water at my work. My boss will tell you so. It makes me sick. A nickel or a dime isn't much."

"No," replied the judge, "but your promise to me is. If you get drunk you beat your wife. I told you if you did it again I would send you to the bridewell."

"I've been working right along and supporting her and the children," replied the prisoner.

"Never mind, I'll hold you until morning under bonds of $300."

Couple Married in Court.

The couple who were married were William Meager, 54 years old, and Katherine Overman, 36 years old, who had been known as Mr. and Mrs. Meager for several years. She caused his arrest for assault and battery, and as they both were addicted to alcohol, Judge Cleland paroled them both with the suggestion that they both stop drinking and get married. They followed his request.

Asked about the absence of Judges Foster, Blake, and Eberhardt, who were named at a judges' meeting on Tuesday as a committee to investigate his work, Judge Cleland said:

"I wrote Judge Foster a note this morning inviting the committee to be present here. Later I received a note signed by the three judges saying they didn't think their presence advisable or necessary."

LIFTS DEBT FROM SICK MAN MADE PENNILESS BY FUNERAL.

Court Suspends Judgment, Then Listens to Plea of Worker Who Supports Five on $15 a Week.

His voice broken at frequent intervals by nervous rasping coughs, Joseph Tobias of 351 North Hermitage avenue, who says he left a sick room to testify, declared yesterday before Judge Fry in the Debtors' court that he has no means to satisfy a judgment for $54.50 obtained by James Despaites. The citation was dismissed on payment of costs of $2 by the defendant.

Tobias admitted he had received $1,100 through insurance policies paid about two months ago, following the death of his wife, who had suffered from tuberculosis. He said the money had all been spent in funeral expenses, doctors' bills, and in the care of his three children.

Nathan Rose of 3534 Rhodes avenue, who was in court as a result of a judgment for $554 obtained by the Joseph Junk Brewing Co., said his sole source of income from the premium department of a morning newspaper was $15 a week and that he pays $35 a month house rent and provides for his wife and four children.

Mrs. Rose was asked the valuation of the household goods at their residence which she says belongs to her but is protected by an insurance policy in the name of her husband.

The citation was dismissed with the notation that no property had been found in possession of the defendant.

ASKS TEAM WORK BY THE BANKS

Joseph T. Talbert Suggests Co-operation Between Institutions of Various Cities to Avert Panics.

"One of the crying needs of today in the financial world is that of coöperation between the banks of the various cities. Panics cannot be averted by a unity of action on the part of banking institutions throughout the country, but the chances of such financial upheavals may be materially lessened by such means."

In such manner Joseph T. Talbert, vice president of the Commercial National bank and president of the Chicago Clearing House association, addressed the Political Economy club of the University of Chicago last night in Cobb hall on the college campus. "What we need," said Mr. Talbert, "is free interchange of clearing house certificates always guaranteed by the clearing houses which issue them."

GIVES CUTICLE TO AID CHUM.

Hospital Patient Bares Himself to Knife That Andrew Pelon's Leg May Be Saved.

Andrew Pelon was hurt recently in a railroad accident and taken to St. Margaret's hospital at Hammond. There he became acquainted with Frank Peters, who shared the same room with him. Pelon's legs were badly crushed and it was found necessary to amputate one. The surgeons said they could save the other by skin grafting. They estimated that 146 pieces of skin would be required. The patient's brother, Tony Pelon, volunteered, but such a quantity of cuticle could not safely be taken from one man. Another volunteer was needed. It was then that Peters offered to bare himself to the knife to aid his roommate. The operation was performed yesterday. Pelon lives at Whitehall, Mich.

ROB HOUSE OF $3,500 GEMS

Burglars Rob Residence of Ex-Ald. Joseph E. Bidwill.

STEAL WHILE FAMILY EATS.

Porchclimbers So Daring They Turn on Lights to Aid Operations.

Diamonds, sapphires, and other valuable jewels were stolen last night by porch climbers, who forced an entrance to the residence of Joseph E. Bidwill, 808 Ashland avenue, former alderman of the Ninth ward and one of the best known politicians in the city. It is estimated by Mr. Bidwill that more than $3,500 worth of jewelry and silverware was taken. A list of known articles taken includes:

Diamond studded watch	$300
Diamond bracelet	500
Diamond stickpin	350
Diamond and sapphire mounted jewel case	800
Sealskin coat	750

Loss May Reach $4,000.

Other valuables as yet not listed by Mrs. Bidwill are missing, and it is feared that the loss may reach $4,000.

The family was at dinner during the robbery. It is thought the burglars first made a careful survey of the place before mounting to the heavy porch at the rear of the building. Quickly gaining the roof, only a minute was lost in forcing a transom with a "jimmy."

Once inside the burglars made a hurried search and stealthily stepped from room to room on the second floor. Electric lights were turned on after the blinds had been drawn, and then bureau and dresser drawers were pulled out and looted.

Steal Jewel Case.

Mrs. Bidwill's jewel case was one of the first objects that greeted them as they entered her room, and it is thought it was placed in a handbag carried for the purpose. A small piece of leather was found near the porch door, and it is believed by the detectives that it was a part of the bag used in the robbery.

After procuring the valuables in Mrs. Bidwill's bedroom the burglars went to other rooms, ransacking trunks and throwing to the floor many articles of small value. Every room on the second floor was visited, and it is believed that the men contemplated making a trip to the parlor, when they became frightened and fled.

REAL ESTATE MAN INDICTED; CHARGED WITH $6,000 FRAUD.

Frank C. Patten Accused by Former Wealthy Milwaukee Lumberman of Converting Notes to His Own Use.

Frank C. Patten, who has real estate offices in the Fort Dearborn building and lives at 3212 South Park avenue, was indicted yesterday on a charge of larceny.

The complainant is Walter S. Johnson, a former wealthy lumber dealer of Milwaukee, who alleges that in a business deal Patten converted to his own use six notes for $1,000 each which had been intrusted to him for the purchase of certain securities.

The alleged larceny was committed in 1908 a short time before the failure of the Johnson Lumber company. Johnson and Attorney Carl R. Latham were the only witnesses to appear before the grand jury.

Inquiry at Mr. Latham's office resulted in the statement being given out that Mr. Latham had left the city and would not return for a week. At the Patten residence inquirers were told that the real estate man would not return home until today.

John W. Harris, former cashier for a shoe dealer at 127 Van Buren street, was held on the grand jury in the afternoon on a charge of embezzling $4,000.

FIVE CENT THEATER REDEEMED.

Juvenile Court Committee Reports Evolution of Cheap Playhouses as Result of Supervision.

Converted from places of demoralising influence to centers of positive educational value. Such has been the evolution of the 5 cent theater, according to reports made to the Juvenile court committee, which held its trimonthly meeting at the Chicago Woman's club yesterday.

"The field secretaries have reported," said Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen, president of the committee, "that the improvement in the 5 cent theaters is the result of constant supervision and wherever necessary prosecution."

The committee reported 504 prosecutions for offenses against children.

STREET CAR STRIKES AN AUTO.

Two Women Are Slightly Injured in a Collision in North Halsted Street.

Mrs. H. C. McBride, 1502 Lakeside place, received a slight cut over the eye, and Miss Catherine McCormick, 331 Lincoln avenue, was slightly injured last night by the collision of an automobile with a Halsted street car at Belden avenue.

Albert W. Langkau, driver of the car which crashed into a coal wagon in Ridge boulevard Dec. 12, resulting in the death of Phelps B. Hoyt, was dismissed by Judge Bettler at the reques of Assistant State's Attorney Smith yesterday.

The motion for dismissal resulted from the verdict of the coroner's jury, which exonerated Langkau.

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Good Old Guckenheimer Rye, 10 years old, smooth, rich and palatable, well worth $4.00 the sale gallon, $3.00; ½ gallon $1.60; full quart.....
Very Old Crab Orchard Bourbon, one of Kentucky's oldest brands, gallon, $4.00; ½ gallon, $2.50; full quart.....
Old Deanhills, Irish whisky, distilled at the distillery, County Antrim, Ireland, large square bottles, only.....
SPECIAL BARGAIN Scotch Rare Old English Ale or Guinness' Dublin Stout, bottle.....
Wynand Fockink, best Hollandaise Geneva Gin, imported in stone jugs, distillery established over 200 years and this gin is recognized as the highest medicinal quality.....
$1.35 bottles Pinet, Castillion & Co. Old Reserve, highest grade French Cognac Brandy.....
Old Cabinet Port or Sherry, 10 years old, delicious in flavor and best medicinal tonic wines sold, because full strength and absolutely pure, well worth $1. Our price, full quart, 50c; gallon.....
Vintage 1903 California Port or Sherry, Zinfandel Claret, Muscatel or Angelica, 5-year-old pure wines, aged at the vineyards, gallon, 85c; ½ gallon, 45c; bottle, 25c, or five bottles.....
Imported French Claret or Sauternes, case, $4.50; bottle.....
California 3-Star Brandy, bottle.....
Oeates' Plymouth Gin, bottle.....
Martini & Rossi Italian Vermouth, bottle.....
King William IV. (V. O. P.), the oldest Scotch whisky procurable anywhere, distilled by John Gillen & Co., Leith, Scotland, purveyors to his late majesty, King William IV.), bottle, $1.65; 2 bottles.....
Long's Maraschino Cherries, qt.....
Imperial Monogram Rye or Old Judge Bourbon, very old and selected for their delicious flavor and exquisite aroma, 3-stamp unblended whiskies, mellowed by age; quarts, $1; gallon.....
Beechwood Rye, qts., $1.50; ½ gal., $1 bottle.....

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The savings deposits in Illinois banks exceed 181 million dollars, all from small beginnings.

If every depositor had waited until he had $100, they would be waiting yet, as many are today.

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DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 14.]

NASH—Mrs. Elizabeth Sherwood Nash, aged 77 years, wife of the late Joseph Nash, at her home Friday, Jan. 22. Funeral services at late residence, 4437 Champlain-av., Sunday, at 2 p. m.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

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ROOSEVELT ASKS FAIR DISCUSSION.

President Demands Honest Treatment of His Administration for People.

FAREWELL'S BEGINNING?

Remarks Accompanying Conservation Report Regarded as Defense.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—President Roosevelt today in transmitting to congress the report of the national conservation commission, demanded a rightful understanding of the works of his administration.

He answered concretely a host of critics by calling attention to the things accomplished during his régime.

"All the acts taken by the government during the last seven years," he said, "and all the policies now being pursued by the government fit in as parts of a consistent whole."

The president's message is regarded by many who have read it as the first chapter of his farewell address as the chief executive and a defense of his policies.

It dealt with the conservation of national resources, but it pointed out the relation of these to the necessities of the individual man.

"The policy of conservation is, perhaps, the most typical example of the general policies which this government has made peculiarly its own during the opening years of the present century," is Mr. Roosevelt's idea of the underlying principle of his work.

"This administration has achieved some things," said President Roosevelt. "It has sought but has not been able to achieve others; it has doubtless made mistakes, but all it has done or attempted has been in the single, consistent effort to secure and enlarge the rights and opportunities of the men and women of the United States."

Equal Chance for Every Man.

Equalization of opportunity—that is the goal toward which the present administration strives.

"We are trying to conserve what is good in our social system," says the president, "and we are striving toward this end when we endeavor to do away with what is bad. Success may be made too hard for some if it is made too easy for others.

"The unchecked existence of monopoly is incompatible with equality of opportunity. The reason for the exercise of governmental control over great monopolies is to equalize opportunity. We are fighting against privilege. It was made unlawful for corporations to contribute money for election expenses in order to abridge the power of special privilege at the polls. Railroad rate control is an attempt to secure an equality of opportunity for all men affected by rail transportation; and that means all of us.

"The great anthracite coal strike was settled, and the pressing danger of a coal famine averted, because we recognized that the control of a public necessity involves a duty to the people, and that public intervention in the affairs of a public service corporation is neither to be resented as usurpation nor permitted as a privilege by the corporations, but, on the contrary, to be accepted as a duty and exercised as a right by the government in the interest of all the people.

Public Domain for Homes.

"Our public land policy has for its aim the use of the public land so that it will promote local development by the settlement of home makers; the policy we champion is to serve all the people legitimately and openly, instead of permitting the lands to be converted illegitimately and under cover to the private benefit of a few.

"Our forest policy was established so that we might use the public forests for the permanent public good, instead of merely for temporary private gain. The reclamation act, under which the desert parts of the public domain are converted to higher uses for the general benefit, was passed so that more Americans might have homes on the land.

"The employers' liability bill recognized the controlling fact that while the employer usually has at stake no more than his profit, the stake of the employé is a living for himself and his family.

"We stand for the right of every child to a childhood free from grinding toil and to an education; for the civic responsibility and decency of every citizen; for prudent foresight in public matters and for fair play in every relation of our national and economic life."

What Commission Recommends.

Taking up the specific proposition of the conservation report the president urged that the broad plan for the development of our waterways, recommended by the inland waterways commission, be put into effect without delay. It provides for a comprehensive system of waterway improvement extending to all the uses of the waters and benefits to be derived from their control, including navigation, the development of power; the extension of irrigation, the drainage of swamp and overflow lands, the prevention of soil wash, and the purification of streams for water supply.

"The work of waterway development should be undertaken without delay," he said. "Meritorious projects in known conformity with the general outlines of any comprehensive plan should proceed at once. The cost of the whole work should be met by direct appropriation if possible, but if necessary by the issue of bonds in small denominations, and I urge that an appropriation of at least $50,000 be made to cover the expenses of the national conservation commission for necessary rent, assistance, and traveling expenses."

TOO MUCH POWER AT THE TOP.

Representative McCall Tells Columbia Students Congress Should Be Restored to Control.

New York, Jan. 22.—[Special.]—In closing a lecture in his course at Columbia university on "The Business of Congress," Samuel W. McCall, a representative from Massachusetts, attacked the present executive government at Washington, declaring it drifting in the direction of autocracy, and that some of the president's powers ought to be taken away and congress again given its place in the government.

"Congress is the one organ of the government," he said, "which, by reason of its popular composition, its special powers, and the place assigned it in the constitution, is fitted to rescue the country from the merciless tyranny of bureaus and of some chance autocratic president with which Providence may afflict us.

"Congress alone can save us from the spectacular rule of some future Castro and to keep predominant in our system the safe, the strong, and liberty cherishing sway of parliamentary government."

CHARGED WITH $750,000 THEFT

San Diego Banker Must Answer to 19 Indictments—Former Cashier Also Is Arrested.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 22.—Homer G. Taber, former president of the West Side bank of Los Angeles, former president of the Lincoln National bank of Searchlight, Nev., now president of a San Diego bank and trust company, was arrested in San Diego. He will be taken to Pioche, Nev., to answer to nineteen indictments found by the grand jury and said to involve embezzlement of approximately $750,000.

S. K. Williamson, formerly cashier of the West Side bank and cashier of the Lincoln National Bank of Searchlight, was arrested in Pasadena.

Paper Box Men Elect Officers.

The Western Paper Box Manufacturers' association last night elected W. B. Ritchie of Chicago president; J. F. Hummel, Milwaukee, vice president; George H. Tompkins, Chicago, secretary; and George T. Kreck, Chicago, treasurer.

JAPAN WAR BOGY STIRS UP HOUSE.

(Continued from first page.)

He called attention to the president's nominations for peaceful methods, by which the excess of Japanese may be prevented.

Sees Exclusion Act Certain.

"Sirs," he exclaimed, "he may succeed or he may not, but there is one ominous fact—he cannot induce the other government to sign a treaty of exclusion and if this quiet method of obstructing the excess of this race to our shores proves ineffective, there is nothing left but an exclusion act."

Every one, he declared, knew that the passage of an exclusion act would be accepted as an hostile act by that country.

"Sirs," said Mr. Cockran, "we have seen what follows when that government considers an act hostile. It justifies the breaking off of negotiations, but I do not believe that even under those circumstances the Japanese government would make war upon us."

He speculated, however, on what might happen should the anti-Japanese feeling, which he said was unconquerable, take the form that it did against the Italian in New Orleans.

"Do you think," he inquired, "the Japanese in Tokio would allow that to pass without reprisals on Americans in Japan? If you do," he added, "you never have visited that country."

He said that the Japanese had but one tradition and that was love of country.

"Outrage that love," he exclaimed, "and reprisals will follow."

Amendments for Cuts Lost.

An amendment by Mr. Macon (Ark.) providing for one battleship met a similar fate, as did practically an identical one offered later by Mr. Burton (Ohio), the vote standing 108 to 158. No other amendment being offered the negative action on the amendments had the effect of retaining in the bill the two battleships provision.

Another lively debate ensued over an amendment by Mr. Macon (Ark.) striking out the provision for five torpedo boat destroyers, but the amendment was voted down.

The bill carries $413,000 for completion of Lake Bluff naval training station near Chicago. An additional appropriation of $16,000 is made for completion of various public works in connection therewith.

Through a reliable private source it was learned here today that the Japanese government, fearing the effect of the unbridled discussion by the newspapers of Tokio of the anti-Japanese measures pending before the California legislature, had issued an order placing all the newspapers in Japan directly under government censorship for an indefinite period.

A dispatch to that effect has been received by the official representative of the Japanese government in this city.

The sweeping censorship was imposed only after the Hochi Shimbun of Tokio, generally credited as the organ of Count Okuma, addressed yesterday an open letter to Ambassador O'Brien, which was couched in studiously polite terms, but which contained much veiled insolence. This is the first time the Japanese government has exercised its right of censorship in such a widespread degree.

Protest Anti-Jap Laws.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 22.—A strong protest against anti-Japanese legislation has been sent to the members of the state legislature by the San Francisco business men who recently returned from an extended visit to Japan at the invitation of various Japanese commercial organizations. The protest is as follows:

"We beg leave to protest against the passage of certain anti-Japanese legislation now pending before your honorable bodies and as forceably as possible to direct your attention to President Roosevelt's letter of Jan. 16, 1909, to Gov. Gillett regarding said proposed legislation.

"During our visit to Japan we paid particular attention to the question of Japanese immigration, and from what we ascertained we are strongly of the opinion that the emperor and the government of Japan are acting in absolute good faith regarding its restriction.

"We firmly believe that any action by the legislature which is directed at the Japanese residents of this state will be taken as an affront by the entire Japanese nation."

The merchants and manufacturers' association of Los Angeles passed resolutions strongly condemning the efforts being made to enact legislation affecting the rights of aliens, especially Japanese.

Says Japan Is Friendly.

New York, Jan. 22.—Bringing the message that Japan is confident American public sentiment will demand repression of the anti-Japanese agitation in the far west, and declaring the continuation of peace with the United States is necessary if his country is to realize its highest aims, Kokichi Midzuno, Japanese consul, made the principal address at the dinner of the Twenty-four Karat club tonight.

"We are confident," he said, "that the Washington government, backed by public opinion, will succeed in repressing the ill advised anti-Japanese agitation. The people of Japan join with the government in believing that such anti-Japanese movement does not represent the true sentiment of the American people."

He declared the ultimate aim of Japan was to develop the resources of the orient and to encourage the introduction of modern science and civilization to every branch of commerce and industry. "This can be attained," he said, "by nothing but peaceful intercourse and good relations with the United States."

JAPS DENY WARLIKE STAND.

TOKIO, Jan. 22.—The budget committee of the diet listened to statements from various members of the cabinet regarding the plans for economy and expenditures which the government has mapped out. In accepting the suggestions that the premier had postponed expenditures amounting to 107,000,000 yen, Viscount Terauchi, the secretary of war, said his department was endeavoring to decrease expenditures. Terauchi laughingly added:

"We are doing this business because it is desirable to disabuse the mind of the world of the idea that Japan is persisting in warlike preparations."

Vice Admiral Makoto Saito said that decreases amounting to nearly nine millions were made in the department of marine, of which he is secretary. He asserted that it is absolutely necessary for Japan to maintain a standard navy, but that the financial condition of the country made the present economics unavoidable.

TANGLE OVER WATER TREATY.

Amount Which Chicago Canal May Withdraw Causes Hitch in Agreement with Canada.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Misgivings concerning the future relations between the United States and Canada which will affect the waters now in use in the Chicago drainage canal and proposed for use in the canal connecting Lake Michigan with the Illinois river, are serving to hold up the confirmation of the treaty adjudicating the waterway boundary question between the United States and Canada.

Senator Cullom, in charge of the treaty, today tried to demonstrate there was nothing contained in it which in any way invalidates the rights of the United States to the waters which now are diverted into the Chicago drainage canal and which may in the future be appropriated for deep waterway projects in the interior of the country.

A sharper definition of these rights, however, is demanded by certain senators. They take the ground that Canada may at some time in the future complain that its power rights are being affected through the removal of lake waters and consider that the whole matter should be safeguarded. The treaty will be taken up again on Monday.

Don't forget Dr. Gray tonight at 8, Moody church. "Is Satan a Person?"

ROOSEVELT PLANS JURY APPEARANCE?

President May Add Pyrotechnics to Libel Case by Personal Testimony.

SUMMONS HELD INVALID.

New York Methods of Calling Witnesses Changed by U. S. District Attorney.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—In what are regarded as well informed circles here the understanding is current that the most spectacular feature of the recent investigation of the grand jury into the alleged libels connected with the purchase of the Panama canal is yet to come. It is claimed that the ground work for indictments against the publishers of two newspapers has been laid and the finishing touches will be given by the appearance before the grand jury of President Roosevelt himself.

It is known by many persons other than the officials who are doing the work of presenting to the jury evidence upon which to obtain an indictment that President Roosevelt is intensely anxious to have true bills returned against Joseph Pulitzer, editor of the New York World, and Delavan Smith, editor of the Indianapolis News. Around the courthouse and elsewhere there are persons who claim to know that an indictment will be returned.

"I simply brought my subpœna and conscience with me," jocularly remarked Secretary of State Elihu Root, who today was one of the chief witnesses before the grand jury in its Panama libel investigation. Senator Knox of Pennsylvania and Assistant Attorney General Charles W. Russell also gave testimony. All declined to throw any light on the nature of their testimony. It is possible that William Nelson Cromwell will testify tomorrow.

New York Summons Set Aside.

New York, Jan. 22.—The subpœnas served upon J. Angus Shaw, secretary of the Press Publishing company, and William P. McLaughlin, sporting editor of the New York World, at the beginning of the federal grand jury's investigation here in connection with an alleged libelous publication regarding the Panama canal purchase, were set aside by Judge Ward of the United States Circuit court today.

Judge Ward in his decision held that the statutes and the federal practices indicated that a witness should be informed of the matter about which he is called to testify. The Supreme court, said the court, has held that the constitutional provision that no one "shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself" extends to any criminal investigation, whether directed against the witness himself or not.

The validity of the subpœnas was contested because they did not name the parties to the proceeding, but summoned the witnesses to testify "generally in behalf of the United States."

Issued in Changed Forms.

Today's decision loses much of its significance through the fact that the government has since adopted another form of subpœna in the matter, wherein the proceeding is described as that of "The United States against the Press Publishing Company and Others."

Under subpœnas thus setting forth the parties to the action, other employés of the Press Publishing company, publishers of the World, have appeared before the grand jury and given their testimony.

Today's decision also affects the validity of a subpœna "duces tecum" served upon the secretary of the Press Publishing company and calling upon him to produce the books, records, and receipts of the World for examination by the federal grand jury.

Judge Ward held that the subpœnas in question "might amount to an unreasonable search or seizure within the fourth amendment to the constitution," and granted the motion to quash and set it aside, together with the others.

ILLINOIS CONGRESSMEN TOLD TO QUIT "JAWING" PRESIDENT

Circular Sent In by Constituents Suggests It Is About Time for Solons to Go to Work.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—That Theodore Roosevelt has friends in Illinois has been made evident in Washington by a circular form of petition which several members of the congressional delegation have been receiving during the last few days.

In it they are told to stop wrangling over the actions and statements of the president and go to work on the jobs for which they were sent to Washington. The Illinois senators and congressmen are at a loss to know who is scattering the petitions, most of which come signed by individuals in the northern part of the state. The following, received by Senator Cullom from Dixon, Ill., is a sample:

"We, the undersigned voters of the state of Illinois, beg to ask you if you do not think it about time for congress to get down to business and stop this constant wrangling over the actions and statements of the president. We feel, as do many others in this community, that our representatives are sent to Washington for other purposes than that of quarreling and quibbling over matters which are of no interest to the people at large.

"The people are certainly not with congress when congress attempts to cast suspicion on the motives of President Roosevelt, as we believe he had ample reasons for calling the attention of congress to certain existing conditions for which they are responsible.

"Therefore, we, your constituents, appreciating and commending the fact that you have taken no part against the president in this matter, petition you to use all honorable means to bring about a cessation of this condition of affairs, so that the business of the nation may have the attention it requires."

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CULLOM FIGHTS LINCOLN WAY

Says Road to Gettysburg Isn't Sufficient Memorial.

ONLY THE RICH CAN VIEW IT.

Bill Passes Senate but May Meet Defeat in House.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Senator Cullom is on the warpath against Lincoln memorials in the shape of country roads. He voted against Senator Knox's amendment to the Lincoln birthday bill, providing for a survey of a road from Washington to Gettysburg.

"I am intensely interested in seeing one of the world's greatest memorials constructed in honor of Abraham Lincoln," said Senator Cullom. "I will even go so far as to say that whether it is a statue, an arch, or a beautiful park, it should be about the grandest thing in the world. And what is more I believe that the District of Columbia is the place for such memorial.

Says Rich Only Can View It.

"The proposed highway from Washington to Gettysburg, in my opinion, would not be a memorial commensurate with the great adoration and esteem with which the people have come to hold the great American hero. I voted against the Knox amendment on account of my anxiety to see Lincoln honored in a way which will continually remind a large number of the people of the nation at all times of his greatness, and this cannot be done by building a country road which can be viewed only by those who are rich enough to travel over it in automobiles or carriages.

"I will give my support to any fitting memorial scheme as long as it provides for the erection of a memorial in the District of Columbia. I would favor the project of a beautiful bridge connecting the city of Washington with Arlington, or an extensive park joining the capitol grounds to the Union station plaza, wherein should be erected a grand statue of Abraham Lincoln.

"I have not allied myself to any of the several projects now on foot. I only know that the Gettysburg highway scheme, while it would be a wonderful undertaking, would not be, in my opinion, a memorial sufficiently satisfying to the people and expressive of the greatness of President Lincoln."

Survey Bill Passes Senate.

Feb. 12 next was declared to be a special legal holiday, and a survey and plans for the highway, which is to be known as "the Lincoln way," was provided in the joint resolution as passed by the senate today. The resolution does not commit congress to the construction of the highway when surveyed.

It is predicted that the resolution will not be adopted by the house, which, according to report, favors McCall's bill for a park in connection with the capitol and a statue of Lincoln therein.

COURT INDORSES "EYEOPENER."

Juror in Tennessee Murder Trial Tells Need of "Mornin's Mornin'," and Judge Rules for Him.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—The ancient and honorable "mornin's mornin'," so long recognized as efficient and sustaining by custom and usage, has been officially recognized in Tennessee.

When J. M. Whitworth, one of the six jurors selected for the trial of the Coopers and Sharpe on the charge of slaying former Senator Carmack, was brought into court this morning, he thus importuned the bench:

"Judge, I've been used to my morning toddy for a good many years, and I missed it powerfully this morning. Can't I get one—just one—every morning?"

"The constitution prohibits unusual or cruel punishments," remarked Judge Hart, judicially. "Mr. Officer, see that those gentlemen who are wont to have a toddy get their toddy hereafter."

The third day of the trial passed not only without securing another juror, but if the motion of the state be sustained one of the six already chosen will be eliminated because he was intoxicated when he reported for service and was chosen.

HUGHES HAILED AS PRESIDENT IN 1912

Democrats and Republicans Join in Cheers as Carnegie Lauds Him.

"PARTY BOSS" IS SCORED.

Governor Says People Should Be Given Direct Vote for Every Office.

New York, Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Cries of "Hughes, our next president," were raised tonight by both Republicans and Democrats at the banquet of the Hughes alliance. The cries were brought forth by the praise which Andrew Carnegie gave to Hughes. They followed an address in which the governor flayed machine politics and advocated direct nominations.

Carnegie, in his address, likened Hughes to George Washington and Abraham Lincoln.

"Gov. Hughes," said he, "has rendered a signal service to the country by demonstrating that the common people can be trusted. Like Lincoln, he has been bold enough to act according to his own convictions. He tells you what he thinks regardless of whether or not his views coincide with those of his party. He is not a follower. He is a leader; a pioneer along untrodden paths.

"Mark the future of this man."

Carnegie Urges Cheers On.

At this juncture of Mr. Carnegie's speech one of the diners cried out: "Our next president." Mr. Carnegie, at once taking up the suggestion, retorted: "That's right; say it again." At once there was a chorus of "Hughes, our next president," with Mr. Carnegie beaming his approval and saying: "That's it."

The governor was introduced by Henry W. Sackett, who called attention to the nonpartisan character of the assemblage by citing the presence, among others, of Herman Ridder, treasurer of the national Democratic committee; former Gov. Frank S. Black, former Gov. Levi P. Morton, and Frank H. Hitchcock.

"We have found that to maintain representative government we must have voters choose them directly," said Gov. Hughes. "Experience shows that under the present system the voters, except there is some mighty upheaval, have little to say, and when one or more men get into control of the machinery they control the nominations and virtually appoint those who will stand as the party representatives. This is not representative government.

Direct Voting Simple System.

"Direct nominations are not subversive of representative government, but as it seems to me are essential to its maintenance. We are accustomed to the enrollment of party voters; it is a system which can easily be extended and made complete. We are accustomed to a restriction of expenses. We can provide that candidates for nomination shall expend money only for specified purposes and shall be restricted in the amount of their expenditures, which also should be made public.

"Some would have it appear that the matter is one of great difficulty and intricacy. In fact, we simply have to adapt our primary methods to those of our general election with such improvements as our own experience shows to be advisable. In reality our delegate system is far more complicated, and if it does not appear to be such, it is because it has become so largely a matter of form."

ACTOR KILLED BY A LIVE WIRE.

Frank Robinson, Leading Man for "Told in Hills" Company, Dead in South Dakota Town.

Mitchell, S. D., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Frank Robinson, leading man for the "As Told in the Hills" company, was killed last night by coming in contact with a live wire as he left the Gale theater after the performance. His body was found lying in an alley across from the theater an hour after the play had ended.

HARRIMAN WANTED TO TALK

Committee Said No; That's Why He Missed Taft Feast.

OIL KING IS PHILOSOPHICAL.

President Elect and Aids to Confer on Cabinet.

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—It was reported that the reason E. H. Harriman did not attend the banquet to W. H. Taft Wednesday night was because he was told Taft did not wish him to be present. This was not true, but there was back of it enough truth to make an interesting story.

Mr. Harriman, like Mr. Carnegie, encourages his "young men" to do things for themselves. One of them got hold of the Augusta street railroad. It was too big a project for him and Harriman obligingly took it over.

James U. Jackson is vice president and local operator of the road. When the Taft banquet was being planned Mr. Jackson, on his own responsibility, arranged with Mr. Harriman for a speech outlining his southern policy, beside that of Taft's. Mr. Jackson reported to the committee.

The committee called Mr. Jackson's attention to the fact that this was Mr. Taft's banquet. There was no objection to his getting up a banquet to Harriman or Rockefeller, but neither could get into the calcium on this occasion.

Mr. Harriman was so miffed that he missed the dinner. Mr. Rockefeller took the situation and the dinner philosophically.

Taft, Hitchcock, and Knox to Meet.

Philander C. Knox and Frank H. Hitchcock, Mr. Taft's choice for secretary of state and postmaster general respectively, have been requested by him to go to Charleston for a conference Sunday. Mr. Taft has continued to gather information regarding prospective cabinet material, and while he cares to give no details as to what is to be discussed Sunday, it is probable that the treasuryship will receive attention, as well as other matters.

As the result of a long conference today between Mr. Taft and R. R. Rogers, law officer of the Panama canal commission, Mr. Taft said he had been put in possession in advance of information regarding all sorts of questions which were likely to come to his attention when he reaches the isthmus. Incidentally, Mr. Taft said he approved the bill which had been prepared by the congressmen who had recently returned from the isthmus. This measure is calculated to place in statute form the present machinery of government in the zone. It reduces the number of judges there, which also meets the approval of Mr. Taft.

Mr. Taft tonight was presented with the souvenir of his prowess at golf in the form of a silver gold lined cup. He won the handicap tournament yesterday and said he once was winner of a box of golf balls at a tournament at Murray Bay, Canada, several years ago.

This 'Possum a Live One.

Another chapter has been added to the 'possum lore which is accumulating about the president elect. The story as told by Mr. Taft is that last night when taking dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Landon A. Thomas, a large covered silver platter was set before him upon which he looked with considerable interest as thoughts of a roast flitted across his mind.

The cover suddenly was lifted and looking with reproach directly into the eyes of the president elect was a live 'possum, neatly tied to the platter.

The animal's teeth were exhibited and an ugly snarl was on its tongue, but it was the reproachful look which left the lasting impression on Mr. Taft's mind.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

LEVI P. MORTON of New York, former vice president, has offered to give the state of West Virginia his summer resort property at Red Sulphur Springs, W. Va., for a sanitarium for consumptives.

PRESIDENT COMISKEY of the White Sox is at Reelfoot lake, Ky., for a week's hunting and fishing.

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BARS DAMAGES IN AMUSEMENT CASE

Court Denies Coney Island Liability Where Plaintiff Warned Took Risk.

TO TEACH TRAIN GUARDS.

Interborough Company Wants Names of Stations Enunciated Correctly.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, Jan. 22.

Court Denies Damages in Coney Island Case.

Persons venturing on the unusual forms of amusement devices at Coney Island do so at their own risk and cannot expect to recover damages for injuries sustained under general conditions, according to a ruling of the Appellate division of the Supreme court today. The decision was handed down on an appeal from a jury verdict in a lower court awarding Mrs. Phoebe Lamden, a saleswoman, $2,000 for injuries received when thrown from a car plunging down an incline on the scenic route. In his ruling Justice Ingraham says:

"It seems to me that the accident was the result of one of the dangers that the plaintiff had been warned against and the existence of which was the attraction which induced her to take the ride, and was a risk that she assumed in undertaking it."

Train Guards to Be Schooled in Enunciation.

The Interborough company has established a school to teach correct enunciation to its conductors and guards. If in future you run across one of the men who tries to call the next station in a voice like a cracked phonograph take his number and drop a line to Vice President Frank Hedley of the Interborough company. The next thing that will happen to that man will be a summons to headquarters and when the teachers get through with him he will be returned to his car with so well modulated a cadence and so clear articulation it will be a pleasure to ride with him.

At least Mr. Hedley told the public service commission today something to that effect. It was in the course of another hearing by the commission on complaints made by the New York Federation of Women's Clubs. Mr. Hedley admitted there was cause for complaint, but he added the company was trying to improve. Then he went on to say that guards who were found careless in calling out distinctly the names of stations were put through a new school.

Husband Kept Home at Nights Tries to Die.

When Martin Mauer, glassblower, 27 years old, of Williamsburg, was arraigned in the Manhattan avenue police court today on a charge of having attempted to commit suicide by hanging himself to a transom over the kitchen door on Thursday night, he admitted it and said he desired to die because his wife had put a stop to his going out at night. His wife found him dangling. She screamed, and Policeman Buchheit came in response. Mauer struck the policeman for interfering and Buchheit was obliged to use his club before he could subdue the glassblower. Then he arrested him.

After Mauer had told his story to Magistrate O'Reilly, his wife admitted she kept him home at night and said she did it because he used to go out and return home drunk and abuse her. By keeping a firm hand on him she had reformed him she said. Magistrate O'Reilly adjourned the case until Tuesday.

Bars Woman or Clergyman as Client.

"Never have for a client a clergyman or a woman," was the advice cited today by Supreme Court Justice MacLean in ordering Lawyer Alexander H. Brown to withdraw his motion for substitution in place of Lawyer Charles F. Thumm as attorney for Alice S. Smith in the suit against her and others brought by the Van Norden Trust company. The suit is for an accounting of the property left by Miss Smith's mother, the late Mrs. Sarah W. F. Smith. In her application to compel Mr. Brown to withdraw his motion to get himself substituted Miss Smith alleged she had had a misunderstanding with her former lawyer, Mr. Thumm, and requested Mr. Brown to take his place as her attorney. Afterward she learned the facts with respect to the misunderstanding, she said, and now desires Mr. Brown to withdraw and make a place for Mr. Thumm again.

Sees More Harm than Good in the Woman Suffrage.

"Woman suffrage has done more harm than good in the four states in which it has been tried—Utah, Colorado, Idaho, and Wyoming," declared Frederick Wood in an address before the National League for the Civic Education of Women here tonight. Mr. Wood in support of his conclusion read a letter from Gen. W. J. Palmer of Colorado in which the latter declared that woman suffrage has been a failure in that state.

"Based upon my personal observations of the working of equal suffrage in the four states where it exists," said Mr. Wood, "its results indicate the ability of the corrupt political machine to influence the female vote rather than any ability on the part of women to purify politics."

Explorer Will Lead Party in Search of Cook.

Dillon Wallace, the explorer who was with Leonidas Hubbard when he was lost in Labrador, and who subsequently penetrated the heart of the untracked country there when he was searching for the body of his former companion, will head the relief expedition which is to sail from New York about the first of July in the search for Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Brooklyn explorer, who made an attempt to reach the pole in July, 1907, and who has not been heard from since last March. The expedition, to be financed by private parties, will sail under the auspices of the Arctic Club of America, a New York organization.

BRITISH LORD HEADS LEAGUE OPPOSING VOTES FOR WOMEN.

Cromer Believes Influence of Gentler Sex in Politics Would Not Be for Good of Nation.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

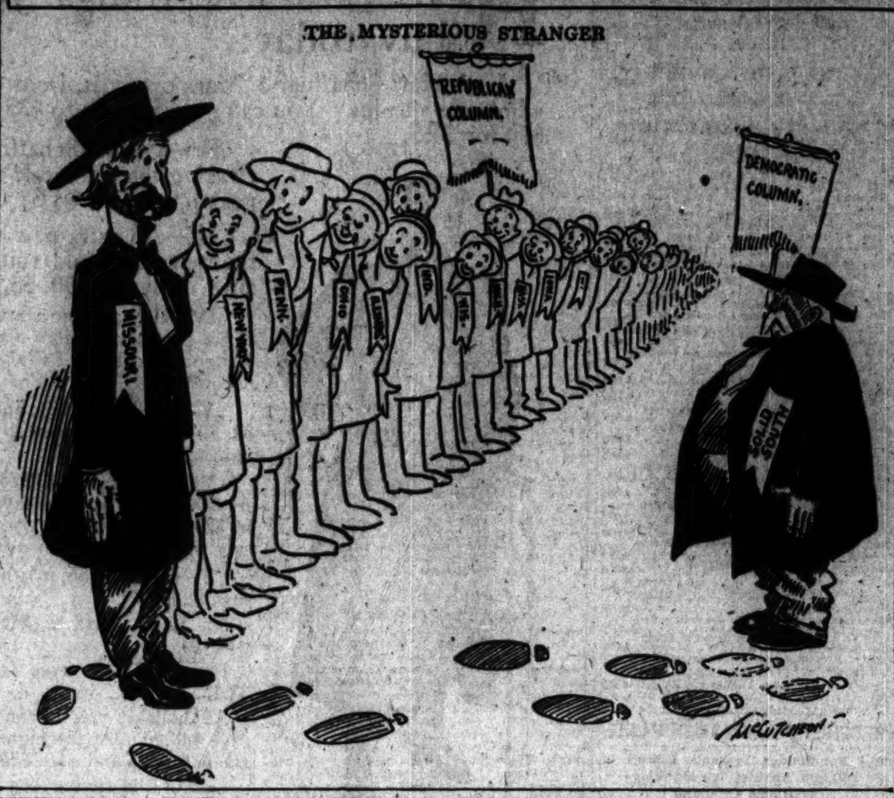
LONDON, Jan. 23.—Lord Cromer is not only throwing all the weight of his influence, which with Englishmen is great, into the balance against the woman's suffrage movement, but is going to take an active personal part in the campaign against Miss Pankhurst and her followers.

He accepted the presidency of the newly founded Men's League for Opposing Woman's Suffrage, and will open fire on the feminine enemy at a great meeting to be held at Queen's hall.

This great British proconsul takes the uncompromising stand that he would not only object to see women in parliament, but would debar them permanently from the right of parliamentary franchise, as he believes politics is not the proper sphere for woman, and that her influence, if exercised in that direction, would not be for the good of the nation.

Realizing that the female suffrage agitation has made considerable headway, Cromer is of the opinion that all sensible men should now bestir themselves to crush the movement before it gets beyond bounds. Under his guidance the Men's league will hold frequent meetings in London and the provinces and distribute literature to instruct the public against granting votes to women, and endeavor to create a volume of public opinion so strong that the government flirtations with the suffragettes will be discontinued.

Famous Cartoon by McCutcheon Presented Yesterday to New Republican Governor of Missouri, Herbert S. Hadley.



RUTH LEAVITT ASKS DIVORCE

Daughter of Bryan Seeks Separation from Artist Husband.

GIRL ROMANCE IS ENDED.

Wedding Five Years Ago Was Against Wishes of Her Family.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—A petition was filed in the District court of Lincoln today, in which Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, the eldest daughterof Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bryan, asks for a divorce from her husband, William Homer Leavitt. The petition, which is brief, gives nonsupport as the cause of action and asks for the custody of the two children, Ruth, aged 4 years, and Braddeld, aged 3.

Immediately after the usual court formalities, the files were withdrawn and the case will come up in its regular order, presumably at the February or March terms. Thomas S. Allen, an uncle by marriage of Mrs. Leavitt, appears as her attorney. William Homer Leavitt, the defendant, who is in Paris and upon whom service by publiction will be made, it is declared, will not contest the suit.

Rumors of the intended divorce proceedings by Mrs. Leavitt have been current in Lincoln for several months, but intentions of such action have been denied by persons who claimed to be in a position to speak.

Couple Separated Two Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt have not lived together for over two years. The husband, shortly after the second child was born, went to Paris to pursue his art studies, and Mrs. Leavitt quit the family home at Denver and came to Lincoln with her two children to live with her parents. Correspondence between Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt was maintained with considerable regularity following his trip to Paris, and the understanding among the Lincoln friends and acquaintances was that relations of the couple were amicable.

Neither Mrs. Leavitt nor Mr. and Mrs. Bryan would comment on today's court action in any way, and Mr. Allen, the attorney, said the petition spoke for itself.

Mrs. Leavitt was 23 years old last October. She married William Homer Leavitt, a young artist, who came here from Newport, R. I., five years ago last October. Leavitt at the time was a widower, twelve years her senior. He came to Lincoln to paint the portrait of Mr. Bryan, was much at the Bryan home at Fairview, and began the courtship of Ruth Bryan, then a schoolgirl of 17 years, almost with his advent.

Harry New's Sister Divorced.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Divorce and $100 a month alimony was granted today by Judge Reddick to Mrs. Elizabeth New McKeen, after she had recited on the witness stand a long tale of marital woes, on the ground of extreme cruelty. W. R. McKeen, defendant, was not present and did not contest granting of decree. Mrs. McKeen's brother, Harry S. New of Indianapolis, corroborated portions of her testimony. Her mother, Mrs. Gen. John C. New, also was in court.

WORLD CONGRESS ON NAVIES PROBABLY WILL BE FAILURE.

England Blames American Delegates for Hitch Which Has Occurred in the Great Conference.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—There is a growing impression here that the powers will not be able to reconcile their differences and that the international naval conference is doomed to failure. Great Britain is working desperately to prevent this and she put off the evil day by canceling the meeting called for this morning.

Committee meetings to discuss technicalities only will be continued until the delegates, whose insistence that the views of their governments shall prevail brought about the deadlock, have received more definite instructions. America is included in this group, for the American delegates, acting on instructions from Washington, refused participularly to concede anything on the question of "continuous voyages."

The American delegates continue to maintain their seats, but it has been learned that they have held from the start that America was ready to make reasonable concessions which did not mean a too great impairment of her interests and which were not wholly in conflict with her laws and policy. With regard to the deadlock, it was suggested today that such a condition might be brought about as much by one party as by the other.

While the delegates believe it is still possible to reach an agreement, they do not think it probable, even on such technical questions as what shall be considered contraband, a matter with which the committee is now dealing.

GREAT FLOODS IN TRANSVAAL.

Nearly Two Hundred Persons Known to Have Lost Lives During One Day.

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 22.—One hundred and seventy-three persons are known to have lost their lives today as a result of the floods, which are general throughout the Transvaal colony and northern Natal.

LAIRD DENIES BAD CONDUCT

Mrs. Stirling Faints in Court When Husband Testifies.

MAID'S STORY CALLED A LIE.

Reports of Impropriety with Mrs. Atherton Declared Untrue.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

EDINBURGH, Jan. 22.—When Capt. Stirling, laird of Kippendivie, denied on the witness stand today the charges brought against him in the divorce suit instituted by his wife, who was Clara Elizabeth Taylor, an American "show girl," before her marriage, Mrs. Stirling fainted and had to be carried from the courtroom.

Capt. Stirling made a general denial of all the charges. He characterised the evidence of Therese Dagarne, Mrs. Atherton's former maid, as a "damnable lie."

The witness stated that at the end of last August Mrs. Stirling asked him to delay the bringing of his counter suit for divorce, as Lord Northland was expecting to receive money wherewith to discharge some debts of honor.

Feared Bankruptcy for Northland.

"If I am divorced," Stirling testified his wife told him, "with Northland as corespondent, before these debts are paid Northland's friends will make him a bankrupt."

Mrs. Stirling afterward wrote him a letter, in which she said:

"You go ahead and divorce me. There will be no fighting the case."

Doubt was cast on the credibility of Therese Dagarne's testimony by the attendance in court of one of the men whom she accused yesterday of being guilty of acts of impropriety with Mrs. Atherton. He is prepared to go on the stand, it is said, and deny "this abominable lie."

Told Northland to Leave.

On cross-examination Capt. Stirling said that when Lord Northland was with him, Mr. Stirling, and Mrs. Atherton in Paris he strongly disapproved of his wife riding around in taxicabs with Northland. He went to Northland and said to him:

"My wife is foolish and is allowing herself to fall in love with you. I ask you to drop this matter and return to London." Northland replied, said the witness:

"There is absolutely nothing in it, my dear Jack. If there is one thing in the world I'll never do it is to come between a pal and his wife."

GEORGE BERNARD SHAW IS ILL.

Writer Tells Inquirers to Inform the Public He Is Dead and Save Trouble.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—George Bernard Shaw, who was to have delivered a lecture before the Fabian society tonight, was unable, owing to illness, to keep his engagement. It is understood, however, that his indisposition is not serious. In reply to a note tonight inquiring as to the state of his health Mr. Shaw said: "Inform the public that I am dead. It will save a great deal of trouble."

ENGLISH QUEEN ILL INDOORS.

London Knows Nothing of Reported Cancellation of Visit with Edward in Berlin.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Queen Alexandra has been ill indoors for the last few days. It is stated that she is suffering from catarrh. Nothing is known here concerning the report that she canceled her visit with King Edward in Berlin. Her departure for Germany is not due for more than a week.

GOULD A PROBATION OFFICER?

He May Assume Tasks in Court in New York Slums.

"BATTERY DAN" HIS LEADER

Magistrate Finn Anxious to Get the Youth as a Helper.

New York, Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Magistrate "Battery Dan" Finn's appeal for a young, athletic millionaire with a transcendent idea of his civic duty to go down to the Jefferson market court, where the magistrate now is sitting, and act as his probation officer, has met with a readier response than "Battery Dan" hoped for. Jay Gould, a millionaire several times in his own name, amateur court tennis champion of the world, and law student, it is said has offered his services as the guiding light to erring husbands, loafers, and disorderly persons in general whom the magistrate may see fit to place in charge of his probation officer.

This afternoon, while business was dull in the court, and Magistrate Finn was leaning back, with his thumbs in his coat, a man, evidently laboring under suppressed excitement, stepped up to the bridge and whispered:

"Judge Finn, I have the probation officer you are looking for."

Down came the judicial chair and thumbs.

"What?" exclaimed the court. "You're jollying!"

"No; honest, judge, I've got just the man you are looking for."

"Is he a millionaire?" queried "Battery Dan."

"Yes, several times over, in his own name, I believe."

"O, go on; you're kidding me," said the court.

"Battery Dan" Invites Him.

"All it needs, judge, is that you should write him a letter requesting an interview with him," said the man with the news.

"Not on your life," said "Battery Dan." "I draw the line there."

After a little private talk the feelings of Magistrate Finn were soothed and he dictated the following letter, which was sent on its way:

"Second Magistrate's court, Second district, First division of the city of New York, 125 Sixth avenue, Jan. 22, 1909—Jay Gould Esq., Plaza Hotel—Dear Mr. Gould: I have been informed by a gentleman friend of the court that you are desirous of taking upon you the responsibility of acting as a probation officer under my direction in the Criminal Magistrates' court in the city of New York. It would afford me great pleasure to appoint you to that position if you feel you can lose the time and perform the duties of a probation officer, which are not hard or arduous. The only difficulty would be that you would have to serve without pay, as I have no way of providing for anybody who serves the city of New York as my probation officer. I shall be pleased to meet you at this court Monday morning, next at 9:30 a. m.

"D. E. FINN, City Magistrate."

Sees Honor to Goulds.

"Now that is fine," said Magistrate Finn. "I knew I would get somebody. That would be a fine experience for this young man who, I understand, has a reputation of being a sensible fellow. And then just think of the honor of being associated with a magistrate of the city of New York. It is nothing to be laughed at; no, sir. The only thing is that he must have at least $5,000,000 or more. I won't have anybody with less, now that I find the bon ton—isn't that the word?—are anxious to be associated with me."

Furniture Club Holds Annual Dinner.

Seventy-five wholesalers, retailers, and manufacturers of furniture attended the Furniture club's annual dinner last night in the "dungeon" of the Wellington hotel. J. H. Steiner was toastmaster and the address of the evening was made by Julius Schneider.

VOTES PENSIONS TO ALL EMPLOYES

Large Mercantile House Adopts Innovation for Wage Earners.

RELIEVES DREAD OF AGE.

Scheme Adopted by Butler Bros. May Prove a Precedent, It Is Thought.

Several thousand men and women in Chicago and eight other cities of the United States were relieved yesterday of much worry about old age when assured of a living wage, not as long as they can work, but as long as they live. The relief came when a few directors met in a Chicago office, read a few typewritten sheets, and voted unanimously "Aye."

The action taken was the adoption of a pension scheme by Butler Bros., which went instantly into effect. Copies of the plan adopted will be delivered to each of the 4,500 employés of the company in Chicago, St. Louis, New York, San Francisco, Seattle, Omaha, Dallas, Minneapolis, and Baltimore.

The plan is said to be unique in two ways—in the fact that all the money for the pensions is supplied by the firm, no assessment being made on the employés, and in that it is the first time the pensioning of employés has been taken up by a mercantile concern.

Provisions of the Plan.

The plan as adopted is the result of three years of study by Manager Frank S. Cunningham of the Chicago branch. It has been contemplated by the directors for a much longer time, but other allied measures were given precedence.

The amount of the pension is 1 per cent of the employé's salary for each year of actual service. The salary on which this is based is the average salary for the ten years last preceding the time of pensioning. Thus if a man's average salary for the last ten years of his service was $1,000 and he had been twenty-five years in the service of the company he would receive 25 per cent of that, or $250 a year. Actually his pension would be more than this, for the minimum pension will be $300 a year.

On the other hand, the scheme is not designed to benefit high salaried officers. The maximum pension paid will be $1,000 a year. The pensions will be paid monthly for life. The recipients of the pensions may engage in other business, not conflicting with that of Butler Bros., without forfeiting their pension.

Age Limit at Sixty.

The age at which employés become eligible for pensions is sixty years, and twenty years the length of service required to entitle an employé to a pension. After twenty years of service, however, any employé may be pensioned for incapacity although not 60 years of age. Retirement at 60 is not compulsory and the employé may work on if fitted and if he so desires.

The number of employés immediately entitled to pensions is not great, as the firm was founded in Chicago only in 1879. Many employés have been in its employ for twenty years, but few of them have reached the age of 60. Those who have, and so desire, will be immediately placed on the retired list. The firm has over 1,200 employés in Chicago.

MAY EXTEND BEEF INQUIRY TO ALL MEMBERS OF TRUST.

Federal Grand Jury Shows Unusual Activity and Prolongation of Investigation Is Expected.

Unusual activity characterised the work of the federal grand jury, which is investigating the Morris Packing company. Eight witnesses were called and the afternoon session was extended beyond the usual time of adjournment.

Although thus far the investigation apparently has been with regard to the possible acceptance of rebates by Morris & Co., through a system of damage claims, there were rumors that the district attorney's office has received enough evidence to warrant taking up a broader line of investigation to include the packing companies in the alleged beef trust.

The witnesses examined were John H. Howard and W. E. Pinckney, respectively traffic manager and general freight claim agent of the Chicago Great Western railroad; E. B. McKillip, assistant manager of the East St. Louis plant of Morris & Co.; G. K. Cowan of the Kansas City plant of Morris & Co., and H. H. Loomis, Otto Bestoff, and W. J. Leibforth, employés in various departments of Morris & Co.'s stockyards plant.

Rumors that the intention of the government is to start in upon a distinctive beef trust inquiry, and to that end secretly has caused the grand jury to hear the testimony of a number of witnesses not connected either with the Morris company or the railroads, floated about the federal building, but Assistant District Attorney Wilkerson refused to affirm or deny all reports.

The most persistent rumor was that two packing companies, anticipating the government's move for a beef trust investigation, have burned a considerable mass of documents. Mr. Wilkerson said if any evidence was being destroyed which the government might subsequently call for, it would constitute a grave offense, for which some one would suffer.

CHILD LABOR SIN OF SCHOOL

Educational System Called Producer of Industrial Evil.

GLORY OF FARM 'FERREROED'

Conference Iconoclast Calls Legends of Health All Bosh.

Idols went crashing at the child labor conference in session at Orchestra hall yesterday.

The school system, farm life, the eight hour day for children, and much of the general program of those who are fighting child labor were assailed by eminent authorities. There was defense, too, so that the conference took on the aspect of a debate.

Child labor was bitterly condemned as resulting in the physical and mental degeneration of the working classes, and the money made by its use denominated "blood money," but there was some difference of opinion as to what to do about it.

Demands New Order of Schools.

"We need a new order of public schools," said Andrew Sloan Draper, commissioner of education of the state of New York and former president of the University of Illinois, in the principal address of the day, and loud applause greeted his words. He criticised the educational system from the primary to the university, which he said enthusiastically divided the time of the student between so many departments that, if left alone, it would make him work until he was 32 years of age to prepare him for life.

He said compulsory education should begin at 6 years, that the terms should be longer and vacations shorter, and truant laws stringently made and enforced.

"The schools are indescribably wasteful of the child's time," he said. "They take no account of the fact that the child's time is valuable. Children drop out of school at 14 because they are not being taught anything that the parents can see will ever be of any practical use to them.

"The schools leave the children unprepared for any but literary and professional vocations."

He Says They Cater to Idlers.

Dr. Woods Hutchinson of New York also attacked the educational system as "designed only to turn out gentlemen and idlers."

"Children leave the public schools at the ages of 12 and 14," he said, "because that is the earliest age at which they realize what an irrational system they have been working under and have sense to get away."

Howell Cheney of the Cheney Silk mills of South Manchester, Conn., the largest mill of its kind in the country, made an attack on the plan of the national committee to raise the age at which children might work to 16 years, by declaring that it should not be done until the school system had been so improved that the children could put in the additional years more profitably at school than at work.

He expressed himself as opposed, in general, to prohibitory legislation. He said that in his factory it had been found uneconomical to employ children below the age of 14 in any task requiring continuous application. Some kinds of work, he said, did the child no physical, mental, or moral harm and were in some cases better for him than being in a school, where he learned nothing, and roaming the streets, where he learned evil.

He Ferreroes Farm Life.

Dr. Hutchinson drew fire by scoffing at the alleged glories of farm life for children and ragging "sentimental farm literature." He went over the daily "chores" on the farm, declaring that nowhere was there more hard work for less pay. He ridiculed the theory that the food on the farm is fine by saying that the best was shipped to the cities to be sold to laborers and mechanics.

"No one knows all this better than the farm boys," he said. "They hike off to the city as soon as they are their own masters, and though they may talk of the beauties of rural life, they confine their enthusiasm to words. They don't go back to it."

The iconoclastic physician also contrasted hygienic conditions in many shops with those of many classrooms to the disadvantage of the classrooms.

Dr. Frank Billings, chairman of the meeting, who said he had been born on a farm, and Dr. Albert H. Freiberg of Cincinnati rose to confute these attacks on the farm, but the speaker maintained his position.

NAVY AIDS SHAKEN ITALY; CHICAGOAN GETS CONTRACT.

J. K. Joyce Will Supply Material for 500 Houses Which Will Be Sent to the Stricken Country.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—The navy department has contracted with J. K. Joyce of Chicago for supplying materials for 500 houses to be delivered at New Orleans and sent to Italy.

VOLCANO, LONG QUIET, AWAKES.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ROME, Jan. 22.—The volcano in the neighborhood of San Casciano, Tuscany, which has been quiescent since 1661, when the town was destroyed by an earthquake, is becoming active. Fire, gases, and lapilli are being thrown out. Slight earthquakes have been felt at San Casciano since Jan. 13.

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EXCURSION RATES. [BIG SUBDIVISION IS SOLD!]

EXCURSION RATES OFFER A PROBLEM

Officials of Western Passenger Association Fail to Reach an Agreement.

CENT A MILE FOR G. A. R.

Low Fare Also Granted for the Christian Endeavor Convention in St. Paul.

The two day conference of officials of railroads in the Western Passenger association came to an end yesterday. No agreement was reached concerning excursion rates for the coming season. The committee appointed on Thursday to consider this question held out for a two cent minimum, but a minority report advocated a fare and one-half for large meetings.

This is regarded as the final effort for the present to maintain the two cent basis and the fares to be granted for special occasions, for which many applications have been received, will depend on the individual action of the roads. It is expected that most of the fares will be at the rate of a fare and one-half for the round trip.

The rate in the territory between Chicago and the Missouri river for the G. A. R. encampment at Salt Lake City in August will be one fare for the round trip, or virtually one cent a mile, as requested by Commander-in-Chief H. M. Nevius. It also was decided to grant a rate of a fare and one-half for the convention of the Christian Endeavor society at St. Paul and the rate for the National Education association meeting at Denver will be the same as the summer tourist rate—$30 for the round trip from Chicago.

Mather to Quit Rock Island.

It was announced in New York yesterday and confirmed in Chicago that Robert Mather, who recently was elected chairman of the board of directors of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company, with offices in New York, is to sever his connection with the Rock Island by resigning the presidency of the two holding companies, the Rock Island company of New Jersey and the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad. These two companies own the securities of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway, which is the operating company, and of which B. L. Winchell is president.

This is said to mean Mr. Mather's absolute retirement from connection with the affairs of the Rock Island, of which he also was general counsel as well as a director, and with which he had been connected for nearly twenty years.

B. F. Yoakum to Be Successor.

Benjamin F. Yoakum, now chairman of the executive committee of the Rock Island and 'Frisco roads, is to succeed Mr. Mather as president of the two holding companies, and it is understood that R. A. Jackson, now first vice president and general solicitor of the Rock Island, with offices in Chicago, will become vice president and general counsel.

ARGUES FOR THE 2 CENT FARE.

Gov. Hadley Says if Railroads Would Stop Discrimination They Easily Could Comply with Law.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 22.—Gov. Herbert S. Hadley made the principal argument today for the state in the Missouri rate cases, and a great array of railway attorneys and others were on hand to hear him.

Gov. Hadley asserted that the proposed freight rates were reasonable and that if the railroads would stop discriminating they easily could comply with the 2 cent law.

"The railroads have demonstrated," he said in part, "the falsity of their contention of their unquestioned prosperity during the past ten years. The railroads themselves have demonstrated the reasonableness of the 2 cent fare. If they would stop issuing passes and discriminating between those who are best able to pay as against those who are least able to do so, they easily could comply with the 2 cent law.

"If, in ten years with an increase in passenger traffic of approximately 100 per cent and an increase in equipment and mileage of but 22 per cent, the railroads are not abundantly able to comply with these laws reducing freight and passenger rates, then they have demonstrated that they are not nearly so efficient as operators as they are as witnesses."

MOVE ON THE OBSTRUCTORS OF PROPERTY OF THE CITY.

Council Committee Authorizes Drastic Action Against Firms Said to Be Occupying Municipal Ground Illegally.

The council's public lands committee authorized its chairman, Ald. McCoid, yesterday to proceed under police protection to tear down obstructions on city property maintained by firms that have refused to pay compensation to the city. Action was taken on a resolution introduced by Ald. Forsberg. The firms against which action was authorized are:

Marling Franklin company, frame building, 100 by 6 feet, said to occupy part of Cherry avenue, between Division and Rees streets.

Marling Franklin company, coal piles and fences, occupying Rees street, between Cherry avenue and Hickory street; alley 125 feet north of Rees street; alley running north to Eastman street; and Eastman street east of Cherry avenue.

F. Herbold & Sons, bridge across alley in block bounded by Erie, Ohio, Morgan, and Carpenter streets.

Richard H. Luth, bridge across Shades place, between Vine and Orchard streets.

Union Wire Mattress company, switch track across Cherry avenue, on and along Blackhawk street, from the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway tracks to warehouse.

Sheffield Foundry company, lumber and castoff material in Herndon street, 150 by 66 feet, north of Hawthorne avenue; and alley between Chicago and Northwestern railway tracks and Herndon street, 16 by 150 feet; also switch track in Hawthorne avenue.

Similar action, it is said, may be taken in many other cases where corporations have either refused or neglected to comply with the city ordinances in regard to occupation of streets and alleys.

SANITARY DISTRICT IS SUED.

Court Asked to Oust It from Strip of Land Along Its Northwest Channel.

Suit to eject the sanitary district trustees from possession of more than a half-mile of land of its northwest channel, between Montrose boulevard and Lawrence avenue, was brought yesterday by the Chicago Title and Trust company, which demands $60,000 damages for this land. A second suit for $60,000 damages makes the Great Lakes Dredge and Dock comptny a party defendant.

Attorney Andrew R. Sheriff, who filed the suit, said the land was conveyed to the sanitary district in 1903 on the condition that the work would be completed within two years and the excavated material used for filling purposes.

John C. Williams, attorney for the sanitary district, said owners of the land agreed that the trustees might have more than two years within which to finish their work.

Chicagoan Killed by Train.

Wauseka, Mo., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Adolph Grubie of 3066 Lyman street, Chicago, was killed by a train today in this

BIG SUBDIVISION IS SOLD

F. H. Bartlett & Co. Buy 292 Lots from Chauncey Dewey.

PURCHASE PRICE IS $90,000.

Loan of $50,000 for Long Time Made at Unusually Low Rate.

A big deal in subdivision property was closed yesterday in the purchase by Frederick H. Bartlett & Co. from Chauncey Dewey of the tract bounded by Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets, Robey street and the Pennsylvania tracks for $90,000. It comprises 292 lots, but the purchasers intend to resubdivide it and place it upon the market at once. Charles T. Gilbert of Baird & Warner was the broker.

Bartlett & Co. also have acquired from Roy A. Richards the property at the northwest corner of Calumet avenue and Thirty-seventh street, 112x84 feet, improved with a sixteen flat building having a gross annual rental of about $6,000. The consideration is not given.

Another big apartment building is planned for the southeast corner of Fifty-third street and Calumet avenue, comprising a part of the site for the abandoned infectious disease hospital. Mrs. Bertha Cockburn, wife of Alexander Cockburn, the builder, has purchased from the McCormick estate 104.4x180 feet, the consideration not being given, and will improve it with a three story, twenty-four flat building to cost about $75,000. With the two buildings planned by Collins & Morris at Fifty-third street and South Park avenue, one block to the east, this will make three flat buildings, with a total of ninety apartments, to be erected at once in that vicinity.

Leasehold Within Loop Sold.

Record was made of the sale by James D. Murphy to Emil Elger and others of the leasehold estate and building at the southwest corner of Randolph and Dearborn streets, 40x100 feet, for $90,000. The Elgers secured $60,000 of the purchase money, five years, at 5 per cent, by a trust deed to Daniel J. O'Connor. Albert L. Strauss was the broker.

Theodore F. King of Prescott, Ia., has purchased from James M. Welsh the apartment house property at 4514 Lake avenue, with 50x150 feet of ground, east front, for $30,000, subject to $15,000 incumbrance.

The property in Wabash avenue, 340 feet north of Thirtieth street, 47¼x198¼ feet, west front, with flat improvements, has been sold by Benjamin H. Wallace to Martha L. De Witt for a nominal consideration, but subject to $20,000 incumbrance.

Samuel Sugar has purchased from Samuel Polakow the property at the northwest corner of Macalister place and Center avenue, 49x97 feet, with brick improvements, for $30,000, subject to $16,500 incumbrance.

T. J. Woods has conveyed to Albert Atkinson the property in Calumet avenue, 199 feet south of Twenty-fifth street, 49x187 feet, east front, with flat improvements, for a consideration of $1, subject to $12,000 incumbrance.

Loan Made at 4 Per Cent.

Edgar M. Snow & Co. have just closed a loan of $50,000 at 4 per cent, the lowest rate which has been made here for a long time. It is secured by the property at 184-186 Washington street, 40x180 feet, with four story building.

Another loan, although a small one, made by Snow & Co., is also interesting for the reason that a 4½ per cent rate is made on Halsted street property. It amounts to $7,500, and is secured by the premises 43, between Madison and Washington streets, 22 x120 feet, with three story brick building.

The Chicago Title and Trust company is trustee in a loan of $90,000, five years, at 4½ per cent, to William T. Church, trustee, secured by the property at 167 Wabash avenue, 63 feet south of Monroe street, 47x85 feet, with seven story brick building. The board of review valued it at $343,055.

Old Inter Ocean Building Sold.

The sale of the old Inter Ocean building and 99 year leaseholds at Madison and Dearborn streets by The Inter Ocean Building company to Alexander D. Hannah and Alexander W. Hannah was closed late yesterday afternoon. A consideration of $1 was named, but the property is said to be worth approximately $1,250,000. The deal was negotiated by E. Orris Hart and company.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Farwell-av., 330 w of Central-st., s f, 30x171, incumb. $2,600, Dec. 1, 1908 [Will M. Rogers to Sidney S. Coombes] ..... $ 1
Farwell-av., 300 w of Central-av., s f, 30x171, incumb. $2,500, Dec. 1, 1908 [Will M. Rogers to Joan M. Kuhlen] 1
Newgard-av., s e cor Albion, w f, 80x122 and sf p, Jan. 18 [C. Turgrimson to Rose Z. Tomlin] 2,300

LAKE VIEW.

Clark-st., 75 n of Winona, w f, 25x125, Jan. 20 [L. Larson to Axel B. Johnson] 1,600
Irving-av., 208 s of Montrose, s f, 25x124, Nov. 27, 1908 [J. A. E. Uts to M. Baker] 2,200
Leland-av., 280 w of Leavitt-st., s f, 30x122, Jan. 13 [S. A. Amberg to Charlotte L. Ockerhund] 3,000
Robey-st., n e cor Addison, w f, 60x122, Jan. 6 [H. P. Fishleigh to Eugene Raff] 4,000
Oakdale-av., 206 w of Ashland, s f, 30x125, June 25, 1908 [M. Mann to Mathias H. Mann] 1,000
Peterson-av., 478 w of Evanston, s f, 32½x125, Jan. 19 [A. Frank to Christine Nordseth] 1,100
Sheridan-rd., 90 s of Graceland-av., s f, 50x125, incumb. $10,000, Jan. 19 [Margt. H. Ryan to Henry Streng] 22,500
Grace-st., n w cor Perry, w f, 37½x126, Jan. 21 [Anders John Isaacson to Nellie Isaacson] 3
Western-av., 100 n of Barry, w f, 75x125, Jan. 21 [Rickard O'S. Burke to Joseph Simons] 1,850
Wilton-st., 216 s of Sheridan-rd., 60x160, and o. p., Dec. 22, 1908 [Henry H. Evans to Lillian M. Watt] 12,750

JEFFERSON.

Western-av., 125 n of Carmen, s f, 26x125, Jan. 16 [W. La Kane to Thos. Plunkett] 5,000
Mozart-st., 269 s of Grace-st., s f, 25x125, Jan. 9 [Felix J. Zalac to Edwd. L. Kolakowski] 3,200
North-av., n e cor Tripp, s f, 50x122, Jan. 21 [L. M. Glos to Axel H. Anderson] 4,800
Montebello-av., 240 n of Humboldt-st., w f, 50x125, Jan. 16 [W. G. Stoughton to Wm. J. La Rue] 5,000

NORTH TOWN.

Hudson-av., 102 s of Center-st., w f, 24x125, July 14, 1905 [J. Crocker to Otto Stelts] 2,600
Wells-st., 97 n of Menominee, w f, 20x90, m...or ..., Jan. 21 [Otto A. Sandess to Margaret Handley] 2,400
Chestnut-st., 177 e of Rush, n f, 50x75, Jan. 16 [estate of Mary B. West to John [illegible] 1,900
[Name] ..... [illegible]
Halsted-st., 25 e of Blackhawk, w f, 25x100, R. or L., Jan. 20 [M. Mathias to Frank Boetsching] 2,400
Rose-st., 16 w of Orleans, s f, 16 to Uhlandst., Jan. 16 [W. Kisth to Paul P. Mund] 2,400
Rust-st., s e cor, 206.3, Jan. 16 [Elizabeth R. Winsor to Louis M. Marx] 1

SOUTH TOWN.

Randolph-st., s w cor Dearborn, n f, 40x100, building, and leasehold estate, Jan. [James D. Murphy to Emil Elger] $5,000
Same party, Jan. 1 [Lasty estate, James D. Murphy to Emil Elger] 25,000
Trust deed, same party, leasehold estate and buildings, Jan. 5 years 5% [Emil Elger to James D. O'Connor] 60,000
23d-st., 160 e of Princeton-av., s f, 50x80 and o. p., subject to existing incumbrance, Jan. 18 [Mary A. Richards of Detroit, Mich., to William B. Walrath] 1
Calumet-av., 109 s of 35th-st., e f, 49x167½, incumb. $1,000, Jan. 21 [H. C. Woods to Albert Atkinson] 1
36th-st., s w cor Wood, s f, 50x124, Jan. 20 [Maria C. Gunther to Frank E. Gunther et al.] 12,000
Emerald-av., 226 s of 37th-st., w f, 24x125, Jan. 7 [Julia Delaney to Caroline O'Neill] 1
Same party, Jan. 21 [C. O'Neill to Bernard Delaney] 1
Prairie-av., 372 n of 37th-st., w f, 50x124, incumb. $1,000, Jan. [Henry S. Wilcox to Alexander O. Mace] 3
Wabash-av., 340 n of 50th-st., w f, 47½x125, [illegible], incumb. $20,000, Oct. 15, 1906 [Benj. H. Wallace to Martha L. De Witt] 20
Calumet-av., n w cor 37th-st., e f, 112x54, and o. p., Jan. 15 [Ray A. Richards of Detroit, Mich., to Frank E. Bartlett] 1
Trust deed—Wabash-av., 427-9, s f, 47½x125, being 63 s of Monroe-st., Jan. 21, due Feb. 1, 1914 [Wm. T. Church, trustee for Christie Louise Williams Hoops, and Doris Louise Williams Hoops, a widow, to C. T. and T. Co.] 90,000

HYDE PARK.

Hyde Park, 4514-4516, e f, 49 11¾x160, incumb. $13,000, assumed, Jan. 15 [James M. Welsh to Theodore F. King of Prescott, Ia.] 30,000
Drexel-av., n e cor 57th-st., w f, 86x150, incumb. $30,000, Jan. 20 [Myron H. Spades to Wm. J. Turner] 41,000
Calumet-av., s e cor 53d-st., w f, 104.6½x150, Jan. 5 [Memorial Institute for Infectious Disease to Bertha Cockburn] 1
Berkeley-av., 83 n of 40th-st., e f, 164x180, Jan. 14 [Louis Wormser to Mattie A. Taylor] 6,250
Elm-av., 166 e of Flat-st., w f, 100x183, Jan. 6 [C. W. Martyn to John H. Telford 4,000
90th-pl., 456 e of State-st., s f, 70x129, Jan. 20 [L. M. Coy quitclaims to Anna D. Cochran 2
St. Lawrence-av., 311 s of 52d-st., w f, 30x125, Jan. 12 [Washington Park club to Andrew J. Somers] 1,275
Vernon-av., 140 e of 43d-st., w f, 100x190½, incumb. $4,000, Jan. 20 [M. V. Shanley to George I. Bottle] 1

LAKE.

Elizabeth-st., s w cor of 50th-st., s f, 30x124½, incumb. $5,000, Dec. 18, 1905 [William J. Turner to Myron H. Spades] 20,000
Elizabeth-st., 117 n of 49th, e f, 34x124, Jan. 9 [K. Zajaczki to Josef Kuretkowski] 2,800
47th-pl., 200 w of Forrestville-av., s f, 50x125, Jan. 15 [M. Dougherty to Isaac Friedman] 700
48th-st., 200 w of Hoyne-av., s f, 25x110¾, Jan. 20 [R. Vacek to S. Siviatkowski] 1,000
48th-st., 25 e of Hoyne-av., s f, 20x110¾, Jan. 20 [R. Vacek to Joseph Siviatkowski] 1,000
Justine-st., s e cor 55th, e f, 40x124, incumb. $6,000, Dec. 29, 1908 [M. A. Hansen to John Bain] 32,000
Laflin-st., s e cor 46th, w f, 22x124, Jan. 20 [K. Mueller to Annastasia Reeves] 1,500
Seeley-av., 125 s of 66th-st., e f, 50x125, Jan. 9 [C. T. & T. Co., trustee, to Elisabeth Bowman] 500
67th-st., 61 w of Marshfield-av., s f, 30x125, m. or l., incumb. $1,200, Dec. 29, 1908 [H. Hansen to John Bain] 6,000
69th-pl., 74 e of Hoyne-av., s f, 24x124, incumb. $1,800, Jan. 14 [P. G. Baldwin to Michael Joyce] 2,000
70th-pl., s w cor Lawndale-av., s f, 270x100, and 90 other lots, same sub., Oct. 25, 1905 [Herman Ehrman of San Francisco, und. ¼th inst., to Caroline Rosenthal] 547

CALUMET.

Parnell-av., 50 n of 90th-st., w f, 25x125, Jan. 15 [L. J. Peisner to Nellie I. Stanley] 1,500
Washington Heights, Hilliard & D., 1st add., part lot 11, block 2, Jan. 12 [H. E. Duckwitz to Bernard McMahon] 2,300

WEST TOWN.

Claremont-av., 144 n of Potomac-av., e f, 24x125, Jan. 20 [Geo. P. Kolloch, trustee, to Benjamin Hirschl] 10,800
Division-st., 118 e of Hoyne-av., n f, 72x122, Dec. 9, 1908 [estate of T. Buffern to Selma Simons] 3,900
Cornell-st., 350 e of Ashland-av., s f, 25x122, Dec. 22, 1908 [E. Moller Jr. et al., by M. in C. to Angelina Dyniewicz] 3,510
Same property, Dec. 23, 1908 [A. Dyniewicz to Jan Pisniak] 3
Division-st., n w cor N. 41st-av., s f, 26x122, and o. p., Dec. 30, 1908 [H. Richelsen to George F. Kruse] 1,200
Macalister-pl., n w cor Center-av., s f, 49x97, incumb. $16,500, Jan. 20 [Samuel Polakow to Samuel Sugar] 30,000
Douglas-blvd., 25 n of Fillmore-st., s f, 22x125, Jan. 18 [J. S. Duff to Morgan J. Trimble et al.] 2,000
Elizabeth-st., 166 n of Grand-av., e f, 26x135, Jan. 9 [Chas. Appleby to Stanislaw Cygan] 10,000
N. 55d-av., 50 w of Le Moyne-st., w f, 50x126, Sept. 22, 1908 [J. Isaacson to Anders Hollinquist] 600
Huron-st., 148 w of Wood, s f, 25x125, Dec. 28, 1908 [T. H. Jeschke et al. to Joseph Rushkewicz] 3,275
Lexington-st., 200 w of St. Louis-av., n f, 25x124, Jan. 20 [J. Crowe to Margaret Griffin] 7,200
Monroe-st., s w cor Leavitt, s f, 20x125, Jan. 5 [Arthur F. Stroshmans to Tyson Fletcher] 10
Sawyer-av., 300 s of 12th-st., e f, 30x124, Jan. 7 [E. Fox to Mary Kalabrezos] 5,400
Spaulding-av., s w cor 16th-st., e f, 25x124, Jan. 21 [H. F. Swanson to Joseph Aaron] 1,200
Troy-st., 124.4 s of Douglas-blvd., w f, 24.8x125, Jan. 7 [J. A. Holbrath to Karel Kilian] 6,450
Union-st., 100 s of Madison-st., w f, 66x132, July 2, 1906 [Sarah E. Moran to Lizzie A. Moran] 7,000
Western-av., 155 s of Madison-st., w f, 66x118, and o. p., Jan. 8 [R. Blakeslee to Mrs. Schroeder] 1
S. 43d-st., 467 e of 36th-av., w f, 30x124, incumb. $1,000, Jan. 21 [H. Mikesell to Abraham J. Lieb] 1,785
Johnson-av., 125 n of Maxwell, e f, 50x100, incumb. $4,000, Jan. 20 [Samuel Sugar to Samuel Polakow] 10,000
Leavitt-st., w cor of Westwood-av., s f, 84.12x125.6, Jan. 8 [J. C. Schaumburg to Ortie Stephenson] 2,400
California-av., n e cor 21st-st., w f, 27½x125, Jan. 20, 1908 [E. O. Gabriel et al. to Joseph Kartosek] 1,150
Spaulding-av., 125 n of 34th-st., e f, 25x125, Jan. 21 [H. L. Maas to Benjamin Barnett] 2,600
Turner-av., w cor 40th-st., s f, 165x132, Jan. [illegible] ..... [illegible]
Turner-av., 165 s of 40th-st., s f, 165x132, Jan. 21 [Henry Sandin to Meyer Ladon] 14,000
Lawndale-av., 100 e of 30th-st., w f, 50x132, Jan. 4 [James R. D. Bray to Emma L. Rose] 2,400
Troy-st., 224.4 of Cortez-av., w f, 30x124, Jan. 10 [Frank H. Deacon to Mary Bidle] 10,000

Building Permits.

8823-5 Calumet-av., 2 story brick apartment building, William Knesn $12,000
7701 Emerald-av., 2 story brick flat building, Eliason 5,000
7153 Vincennes-av., 2 story brick flat building, G. A. Gustafson 5,000
27 W. Chestnut-av., 3 story frame flat building, [illegible] 3,000
1115 W. Fullerton-av., 2 story brick store and flat building, S. J. Stiltzin 7,000
1063 Thirty-first-pl., 2 story brick flat building, George Bradshaw 6,000
726 W. Western-av., 2 story brick store and flat building, J. Sullivan 5,500
61-63 W. Ward-st., 1 story brick rear addition, House & Co. 1,800
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MITCHELL A HERO IN MINERS' EYES.

Former President of Union Addresses Associates; Advocates Changed Laws.

ASKS TRIAL BY A JURY.

Thinks His Arrest an Injustice Due to an Incomplete System.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 22.—This was John Mitchell day in the convention of the United Mineworkers of America.

When the former president of the miners appeared on the stage there was a storm of cheers. Many of the delegates wept from intense emotion and John Mitchell was made the hero of the largest labor organization in the world.

Mr. Mitchell came forward to the edge of the platform.

"I feel keenly sensitive to the reception you have given me this day," he said. "It would seem that at least in a miners' convention a former leader of laboring people loses none of his luster because he is sentenced to jail." He was interrupted by another thunderous burst of applause.

Talks of System's Injustice.

When the tumult has subsided, Mr. Mitchell began a long speech dealing with the condition of the organization, but principally with the sentence to jail imposed upon himself, Samuel Gompers, and Frank Morrison and Judge Wright of the District of Columbia, and his conception of its significance to the cause of organized labor and the freedom of speech. His address frequently was broken by shouts of approval from his audience, which hung intent upon his every word.

Mr. Mitchell pictured what he considered the injustice of a system by which the "constitutional rights of free speech and a free press were denied," and by which men could be deprived of their liberty without a trial by jury. He repudiated nothing that he had said or written in his book in the past concerning the duty of resistence of any order unjustly depriving people of these constitutional rights.

Deprecates Violation of Law.

He denied the charges made that laboring men wish special privileges under the law, but he declared that they do wish rights guaranteed by the constitution to all men. He declared that no one decried law violation more than he himself. He said the Wright decision only emphasized the need of legislation that will secure to every citizen the right of trial by jury before being sent to jail.

He reviewed his own case, pointing out that his greatest offense seemed to consist of presiding over the miners' convention which last year passed an "unfair" or "boycott" resolution against the product of an alleged unfair concern.

P. J. McLester, a delegate from Springfield, moved that a petition be prepared addressed to President Roosevelt and protesting against the Wright decision. It is to be signed by every delegate and officer in the convention.

The convention voted $2,600 for the defense of Gompers, Mitchell, and Morrison, and specified that further financial aid would be given if necessary.

Diamond Cutters May Enter.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—By virtue of a decision affecting the diamond cutting and polishing industry of this country rendered by the department of commerce and labor today, eight Belgian diamond cutters, whom the Diamond Workers' Protective Union of America succeeded in having detained at Ellis Island on the charge that they had been brought to this country in violation of the contract labor law, are allowed to enter the United States.

The decision holds that the diamond workers' union of this country is "un-American in character, in that it is composed almost exclusively of foreigners, and their stringent rules practically prohibit Americans from becoming members by limiting the number of apprentices that can be taken into the trade to 10 per cent of the total membership."

NEW RECTOR FOR UNIVERSITY.

Dr. Shahan of Hartford Will Succeed Bishop O'Connell as Head of Great Catholic School.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—The Rev. Thomas J. Shahan of Hartford, Conn., has been selected to succeed Bishop Dennis J. O'Connell as rector of the Catholic University of America. Bishop Carroll had originally been spoken of for the position, but was unwilling to give up his work in Montana.

Dr. Shahan holds the chair of church history at the university, is one of the editors of the Catholic encyclopedia, and is considered one of the most scholarly men in the American church.

He is the author of many books, among them "The City of God," which has a wide circulation. He is a native of Hartford, and received his education partly in Rome and partly in Belgium.

DECLINES JOB AT ANN ARBOR.

Benjamin Ide Wheeler Will Not Accept Invitation to Be Michigan University Head.

Berkeley, Cal., Jan. 22.—President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California announced today that he would not accept the invitation to become the head of the University of Michigan. The position was tendered when he was at Ann Arbor recently.

OBITUARY.

ANDREW J. AIKENS, general manager and part owner of the Evening Wisconsin, died yesterday, the result of a paralytic stroke. Mr. Aikens was 60 years of age. He had been a newspaper man for sixty-five years and connected with the Evening Wisconsin of this city about fifty-five years. He is said to have been the originator of "patent insides" in 1863 and afterwards founded newspaper unions for the printing of "patent insides" at Chicago, New York, Cincinnati, Nashville, Atlanta, and Memphis.

DR. HENRY C. ALLEN, dean of the Hering Medical college, died at his residence, 3142 Washington avenue, after a short illness. He was 72 years old, had practiced in Chicago for nineteen years, and was dean of the homeopathic department of the University of Michigan Medical school before coming here. He was graduated fifty years ago from a medical school in Cleveland, O. He left a widow, a son, Franklin L. Allen, and a daughter, Mrs. C. W. Aird.

J. S. GLENN, who was widely identified with the development of the oil lands of Oklahoma, died at his home in Tulsa yesterday. Mr. Glenn was associated with T. S. Barnsdall in the Barnsdall-Glenn blanket leases in the Osage nation and was one of the most extensive operators in the southwestern field.

WILSON G. BAKER, a retired real estate dealer, who fell from a second story window of his residence, 373 Superior street, when attacked suddenly with dizziness on Sunday, died at the Passavant hospital yesterday. He was 54 years old and had not been strong for several years.

WILLIAM WHITE, fireman on the famous locomotive, "John Bull," during the centennial exhibition at Philadelphia, is dead in Peoria, Ill., at the age of 84.

LEITER ILL; NURSED BY WIFE

Operation for Appendicitis Followed by Strong Rally.

SURGEON GIVES GOOD NEWS.

Dr. A. J. Ochsner Says Patient Will Be at Desk in Three Weeks.

With his wife acting as chief nurse, Joseph Leiter is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the Augustana hospital. Unless complications set in he will be at his desk in about three weeks.

It was the family's aim to keep Mr. Leiter's illness and subsequent operation secret lest alarm should be spread among his numberous friends, but acquaintances recognised him as he and his wife alighted from their automobile at the Cleveland avenue entrance to the institution at 7 o'clock yesterday morning and the news soon became public.

Dr. Albert J. Ochsner had the troublesome appendix removed an hour later, and while the most encouraging reports came from the hospital immediately afterward Mrs. Leiter's absence from the residence was taken to mean that his condition was not of the best. As a result the hospital phone as well as the one at the Leiter residence, 234 Lincoln Park boulevard, were kept ringing constantly until midnight by solicitous friends.

Mrs. Leiter Remains at Bedside.

Mrs. Leiter remained in an outer room while the incision was made, but returned to the bedside as soon as the surgeon had finished his work, and nursed her husband back to consciousness. Lunch was brought to her, and there she remained until 5 o'clock, when she went home to dinner, again to return to her husband's side and remain until a late hour, when he fell into a peaceful sleep, and she went home.

The Leiters returned from a visit to his mine interests at Zeigler, Ill., on Monday night. Tuesday and Wednesday Mr. Leiter was at his office, but about 3 o'clock Thursday morning he was seized with pains in his side. This trouble was not new to him, and he was not much worried until noon, when, at the solicitation of his wife, the family physician, Dr. F. D. Hollenbeck, was summoned. Dr. Hollenbeck immediately diagnosed the ailment and advised treatment at the hospital.

Predicts Quick Recovery.

"No, I will not say there is nothing to fear," said Dr. Hollenbeck, "but his condition after the operation is a whole lot better than I had expected. But there is no need for apprehension among his friends. It's really an old trouble with him, but I believe the operation will put him in the best condition possible. It is reasonable to expect him out in about three weeks."

Mrs. Leiter was Miss Juliette Williams, daughter of Lieut. Col. John R. Williams, U. S. A. The wedding took place in Washington.

Tell Wedding Secret.

The secret marriage at Wheaton on Saturday of Will Murray, son of Fred A. Murray of Waukegan, and Miss Irma Barber of St. Louis, was announced by them to Murray's parents yesterday.

LIQUOR MEN GIVE REGULATION PLAN

"Treating" One of the Things They Oppose in Saloon Practices.

WOULD STOP THE "DIVES."

Prohibition Held to Bring Only Evasion of the Law and Greater Evils.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—The delegates to the National Model License league today adopted resolutions denouncing intemperance, asking prosecution for drunkenness, and opposing "treating." They also denounced prohibition as un-American.

The resolutions adopted were as follows:

"As representatives of the brewing, wine-making, and distilling trades, and of wholesale liquor dealers, saloonkeepers, innkeepers, and members of collateral trades, we protest against all intemperance in the use of alcoholic beverages, and against all lawlessness of every sort whatsoever in the sale of such beverages.

"Intemperance is a curse, and every man who becomes intoxicated should be arrested and prosecuted.

"Treating" Held Great Evil.

"'Treating,' which is responsible for so large a per cent of involuntary intemperance, should be opposed by public sentiment and by every member of our trade.

"The licenses of all retail liquor dealers who violate the law should be canceled.

"'Prohibition is un-American'; it is opposed to the idea of individual sovereignty and to the spirit of our institutions; and furthermore, it must continue to be merely a costly absurdity as long as it prohibits only the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages.

"When prohibition, whether for state or county, is submitted to the people, it should prohibit not only the sale, but the purchase, possession, and use of wine, beer, and whisky.

"The county should not be the unit in local option contests, as it does not represent the American principle of local self-government.

"Where prohibition is adopted by a legislature or a people the manufacturers and dealers in wine, beer, and whisky should be compensated for investments made prior to its passage in obedience to demand and under the sanction of existing laws.

Scheme of Regulation Offered.

"The National Model License league reiterates its conviction that the sale of alcoholic beverages can be properly regulated by providing that licenses shall renew themselves each year until canceled by a vote of the people or by conviction of the violation of law; that no more licenses shall be issued until the proportion is not more than one for each 500 of population; that license fees shall not be unreasonable or in the nature of penalty; that conviction of the violation of law—second offense—shall cancel the license and prohibit the holder from engaging in the business again."

A supplemental resolution was adopted without dissent declaring the league's idea the "ultimate salvation of all trades" and urging all allied industries to enter the movement at once.

The principal address of the day was delivered by Mayor David S. Rose of Milwaukee. In introducing him President Gilmore of the league caused a sensation by stating that among the men who had been invited to the convention were many ministers, all of whom indorsed the purposes and methods of the league, but said they were afraid to come, as they might be misunderstood.

Rose Holds Prohibition Wrong.

Mr. Rose declared that his experience as the official head of a city of 400,000 persons led him to believe that prohibition could not remedy the evils, and that regulation was the only cure. He asked care in seeing that no disreputable persons were granted licenses, that children be barred from the saloons, and that habitual drunkards be refused.

Dr. Nathan A. Cole of Peoria declared prohibition would fail. He said: "Much of the present evil of the drink habit lies at the door of parents who fail to teach morality, uprightness, and cleanliness to their offsprings. They cannot shirk their responsibility by passing laws to restrict natural rights and natural liberties."

National regulation of the liquor traffic was urged by Dr. J. F. Callen of Pittsburg, Kas. He declared state wide prohibition works only harm in that it takes the sale of liquor from the hands of responsible persons, under the eye of the law, and gives it to "bootlegger," who sell the vilest concoctions to any one, young or old.

Plan War on Kenosha Saloons.

Kenosha, Wis., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—A determined effort is to be made to make Kenosha a "dry" city, and tomorrow the leading officials of the Wisconsin Anti-Saloon league will come here to confer with the reformers here with a view of having the question of license submitted to the people at the coming spring election. Kenosha has ninety-eight saloons.

SPEAKERS TO OPPOSE SALOONS.

Five Meetings to Be Held Tomorrow in Furtherance of Chicago No-License Committee's Campaign.

A feature of the campaign of the Chicago no license committee for a vote on the saloon question at the spring election is a series of Sunday afternoon rallies, five of which will be held tomorrow at the following places:

Trinity Methodist church, 3 p. m. Speakers: John M. Hill, chairman of the committee, and the Rev. L. P. Leeman.

Ravenswood Baptist church, 3 p. m. Speakers: Edward E. Blake, vice chairman of the committee, and local ministers.

Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran church, 3 p. m. Speakers: Jenkin Lloyd Jones and the Rev. E. B. Stewart.

Brookline Presbyterian church, 3 p. m. Speakers: The Rev. E. R. Worrell and others.

Adams Street Evangelical church, 3:30 p. m. Speakers: Harry S. Warner, secretary of the Prohibition Intercollegiate association; the Rev. J. J. Rea, and the Rev. E. K. Yeakel.

A special downtown rally will be held Monday at Willard hall at 1 p. m. Prominent speakers will address the meeting.

CALL ON DOHERTY FOR PAVING FACTS

Mayor and Commissioner Hanberg Want an Explanation of That Contract.

CITY'S PURSE HAS LIMIT.

Busse Recommends Retrenchment, as Income for Year Will Be Only $20,000,000.

The return of Mayor Busse and Commissioner of Public Works Hanberg from Springfield brought bad news for M. J. Doherty, superintendent of streets. He was told plainly yesterday he would have to make a better explanation than he had yet offered of the McGovern street repair contract.

All of which started the report, which is not directly denied, that a few days now would see Supt. Doherty before the civil service commission on charges more serious than those he faced when discharged before. The courts put him back at that time on the plea that the case was started by the commission itself and the charges were not signed by the commissioner of public works, the head of his department. But if he is brought up for trial again those familiar with the city hall situation say the commissioner either must file charges or else justify Doherty's actions. He made it pretty plain on his return he was not willing to do the latter, and this leaves the former as his only alternative.

Supt. Doherty made his defense to Commissioner Hanberg. It certainly had the merit of novelty, at least. In effect it was an argument that it matters had been let alone and he had been free to carry out his plans the city would have been the gainer by the celebrated McGovern contract. It was only because his plans had not been carried out that it seemed to be a $190,000 loser.

It Doesn't Impress Hanberg.

The reason he had given McGovern so much of the high priced work to do, he explained, was that he was anxious to finish last fall so far as possible the resurfacing—the $1.75 a yard work. He had postponed until spring the concrete building—the 1 cent a yard work. If the contractor had finished the amount of this work he had planned the city would have made a good bargain by the contract. He thought it was unfortunate that public attention had been called to the matter before his plans had been carried out.

Commissioner Hanberg did not seem much impressed by this explanation.

"Had the work been confined to the original $50,000 job," he remarked in the afternoon, "and the contract been carried out in the right spirit it would have been a good thing for the city; but when it came to doing a lot more of the high priced work than had been anticipated and but little of the low priced work it can hardly be called carrying out the spirit of the contract."

When Supt. Doherty handed his report to the commissioner the latter took him to Mayor Busse's office to allow him to talk to headquarters, but the mayor was too busy discussing the annual appropriation bill to take time to consider the street repair trouble, so the matter was postponed.

City's Income Only $20,000,000.

The city's financial straits were disclosed when Mayor Busse and Controller Wilson went before the finance committee to urge retrenchment in the appropriation bill. The controller told the committee that in round figures the committee must figure on an income of not larger than $20,000,000 for all purposes.

On the other hand, the estimates of the department heads of the money needed for the year's work totaled $30,000,000. As the city could not spend more than its income, it plainly was up to the committee to prune out that extra $10,000,000. The detailed estimates should be ready for the council on Monday night. The mayor followed with a strong plea for retrenchment and economy all along the line.

Assistant Deputy Building Commissioner John C. Christensen was dismissed from the city's service by Building Commissioner Murdoch Campbell. The action was taken by failing to ask an appropriation for his position in the department estimates for the coming year. The reason given for the action by the building commissioner was economy.

Home Rule Works Both Ways.

The license committee placed on file the ordinance to make a local option district out of the territory bounded by Halsted street and Center avenue, Seventy-ninth and Eighty-seventh streets, thereby inciting charges of bad faith against the United Societies. Ald. Fisher charged that the officers of the societies had agreed not to fight the ordinance on the ground it was a case of home rule.

"But," complained the alderman, "you people talk home rule loudly enough when it favors your side, but you really when it comes to a case of working against you."

Ald. Josetti denied any promise had been given, and on a vote the ordinance was beaten, 8 to 2, the only aldermen favoring it being Tinsman and Pringle.

CROWD SEES BIRTH OF CHICKS.

Electrical Incubator Proves the Feature to Spectators at the Show at the Coliseum.

Right in full view of the thousands, the electrohen at the electrical show hatched a brood of twenty chickens last night. The big crowd watched the little chickens pick their own way out of the shell and then flop into the bottom of the incubator, where the electric heat dried out their feathers.

It was a couple of hours after each chicken fought his way into the world before it was entirely presentable, but it was then just as lively as if it were responding to the cluck of a feathered mother. The electrical incubators have been timed so that a brood of chicken is now expected at the show every day.

During the day and evening the Chicago section of the Electrical Engineering Society of America and the Northwestern Electrical association were guests of the management. Today will be "Children's day."

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Around this central flame are always the eager figures of men—men who loved her and staked all for her love, men whose names are writ large on the pages of our history—and one man whom she loved. He is every inch a man, every inch a hero, every inch an American, knowing how to fight and how to love.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

GOLDEN RULE LODGE, NO. 726, A. F. & A. M.—Special emergent communication to attend the funeral of Brother James MacLaughlin. Members will meet at our hall Saturday, Jan. 23, at 12:30 p. m. sharp. Interment at Rosehill cemetery.
FRANKLIN P. DEAN, W. M.
A. J. CORNELL, Sec.

MR. HOPKINS' aeroplane needs a stronger motor.

DON'T mention Lawrence Y. Sherman. It might be dangerous.

AT this writing Chicago is in the sloppy midst of its January thaw.

IN due time Sig. Ferrero will puncture that story about Achilles dragging the body of Hector around the walls of Troy.

WHEN Mr. Roosevelt goes to Africa it will be easy for him to step over to Liberia and settle that little muss.

WILLETT be expunged from the Congressional Record?—New York Evening ——.

This, which we have been waiting for, having been said, let us proceed with the main business, which is the election of a United States senator from Illinois.

UNCLE SAM is willing to assist California in hunting down its boodlers, if necessary, but he refuses to fight all its battles.

SOMEBODY must have been to blame for the circumstance that there was no boat at that temporary crib.

THE "veterans" in Tennessee cannot hold Gov. Patterson for the dryness of the state. He did all that a man with only a veto could do for them.

WHERE'S the "owners' association" is ready it may fire a lot of the near-candidates.

ANY man who goes to a Taft banquet in Chattanooga with a tuxedo on his person must be prepared to encounter the concentrated scorn of the esteemed News and Courier.

NOTICE anything peculiar in the taste of the ice cream? The manufacturers are all away, attending a national convention in Memphis.

TO GIVE an adequate explanation of that street paving contract should not require nearly as many words as have been devoted to it.

CARELESS workmen may have set the intermediate crib on fire, but it was due to the carelessness of somebody else that no way of escape was provided.

VISITORS at the electrical show have made cautious inquiries, but have been unable to find out why electricity costs so much when you have to use it.

IT was reported and not contradicted yesterday that Senator Hopkins was confident of winning. All he needed was a certain number of votes that persisted in remaining uncertain.

UNCLE SHELB CULLOM can see no good reason for mixing in. It is not his funeral.

INSURANCE agents will not be safe in taking a risk on Senator Depew's present smile for a longer period than two years.

JOHN MITCHELL has many friends who will be sorry to see him making a Gompers of himself.

MR. TAFT has about 275 reasons for resolving never to try to ride horseback ninety-eight miles in a single day.

CHICAGO is noted for its mild winter weather, its great parks, and the small feet of its women.

COMETH now the Carmack murder trial.

WHY is a January thaw?

THE CONSERVATION OF OUR GREATEST RESOURCE.

"It seems almost a travesty to come together in a civilized country to protest against what practically is the murder of children." In this phrase Mr. A. C. Bartlett, the chairman of the Chicago child labor conference committee, expressed what must be the feeling of every humane intelligence when it is first confronted by the evil of child labor.

But child labor is a terrible fact, and those who have set about curing it quickly realize that conferences are far from being travesties. They are urgent necessities.

Child labor has one giant champion. It is ignorance. Strike down the public ignorance and child labor will die with it. The moral power latent in the nation, once aroused, will sweep all barriers of interest away. It is this truth that justifies the demand for a federal children's bureau which can amass the totals and assist in unifying effort in the various sections and states. There are no state lines in this educational work, though its results must be registered, through the police powers of the states, in legislation and enforcement.

Child labor is a deadly waste of our most precious national possession. No nation that values its future dare support it. But worse than any consideration of economic or social folly is the moral stultification inhering in the maintenance of involuntary servitude less defensible than negro slavery.

THE NEED OF A NEW CHARTER.

When the Chicago charter legislation of the last general assembly was rejected by the voters it was the general feeling that it would be useless to ask the next legislature to pass another charter act. But the experiment is to be made. It has to be made, for every day of nonaction adds to the embarrassments under which the city labors, because it has not that measure of self-rule which is a condition of highly efficient government.

The draft of a charter which is to be submitted to this general assembly contains provisions which are essential to the prosperity of the city. By them expenses will be reduced through the consolidation of local governments, while the resources of the municipality will be increased through ability to make more extensive use of its credit. If those provisions were law, as they should be, Chicago would be relieved of its intolerable financial difficulties. It would be able to make improvements which are greatly needed, but which cannot be had so long as the city is tied down as it now is.

One of the grounds of opposition to the charter of 1907 was that it did not give the council power to determine whether saloons should be kept open or closed on Sunday, no matter what the general law of the state might be. Many votes were cast against it because it did not grant that power. In order to remove that obstacle to ratification it is now proposed to give the council authority to enact ordinances to regulate Sunday observance with a proviso that ordinances relating to the sale of liquor on Sunday shall be submitted to a popular vote.

It is a question whether this provision will not add to the difficulty of getting charter legislation. This matter of Sunday observance was submitted to the last general assembly in a separate bill, which it refused to pass. It may be that this general assembly will be equally obdurate. But that is a side issue. The vital question is whether Chicago can secure legislation that will enable it to put its finances on a sound footing and to do more than is now possible for the protection of the health and property of citizens. If that can be accomplished through a new charter, so much the better. If it cannot be, then some relief should be given the city through general legislation. The city must have relief in one way or another.

HIGH SERVICE AND LOW PAY.

The senate's action upon the salary question has been in the main conservative. The increase of the president's salary is large, but has been long overdue. The compensation set for speaker and vice president is moderate. The increase voted for circuit and district judges, though not quite as great as was asked, is probably sufficient.

As to the Supreme court judges tardy and inadequate justice was done. The increase of $2,000 a year is not insubstantial, but it is too small. THE TRIBUNE already has expressed its opinion of the inequity and impolicy of underpaying the members of our supreme national tribunal, a court whose duties are more onerous and important than those of any other court in the world. It is not contended that the quality of service is conditioned solely upon the amount of money compensation. It is urged that with the increase of cost of living and the general raising of the level of social demands it is certain that lawyers whose gifts and attainments fit them for great service on the bench find it more and more difficult to forego the profit of private practice. They have their families' future to provide for on a scale not known in the days when the present salaries were fixed, and it is not fair to ask so grave a sacrifice. There is today employed in the government offices as a clerk the daughter of one of the most distinguished justices who have sat on the supreme bench since its establishment. In private practice there is no doubt he would have amassed a competence for his children. He gave long years of hard work on the high plane of his great juridical talent. The nation did not compensate him adequately. It did not pay for what it received.

A Tammany nisi prius judge is paid $17,500. Our Illinois Supreme court justices are paid $10,000. The first may be overpaid. The latter are not. The lord high chancellor of England is paid $50,000 a year, the master of the rolls $30,000, judges of the king's bench $25,000, and of the city courts of London $12,500.

The salaries voted by the senate for our Supreme court justices are $15,000 for the chief justice and $14,500 for associate justices. The Democrats voted solidly against this. It is not a partisan matter, and they would have shown more public spirit and a more genuine thrift had they voted to make these salaries $25,000.

The house may do better.

AN INTERNATIONAL TRUST.

It has been proved that at least one great industry is dominated by an international trust. It is the manufacture of powder and dynamite. In order that it might not be molested by foreign competition the American powder trust entered into an agreement with the two great European manufacturing concerns for the division of the markets of the globe. The latter must not interfere with the former in the United States or its dependencies, Mexico, Central America, and the northern states of South America. The remainder of that continent is common territory. The rest of the world is surrendered to the European parties to the combine. It is expressly provided that if the United States government shall ask European companies for bids on explosives they must first find out what the American companies are asking and not go below that price.

This is in the nature of a conspiracy by certain Americans against their own government. It is a scheme to deprive that government of the benefits of competition and force it to pay excessive prices for explosives. It is said that from 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 pounds of dynamite are bought in single shipments for the Panama canal. The international trust has a syndicate fund to be used in destroying competition. To that fund a contribution is made of $1 on each case of dynamite sold. It is estimated that out of the money paid by the government for each of those large shipments of dynamite $100,000 goes to the fund. Then it is being plundered to that extent, at least, through the machinations of the trust.

The government has attacked the American section of the international powder trust in the courts and hopes to be able to dissolve it. It should succeed, but protracted litigation will be necessary. What should be done in the meantime? The house of representatives has to a certain extent made answer by adopting an amendment to the naval appropriation bill forbidding the purchase of powder manufactured and sold in defiance of the antitrust law. About two-thirds of the powder used by the navy is bought of the trust. If no more were bought of it the independent manufacturers would be assured of one large customer.

It will be in the power of congress when revising the tariff to deal the trust another blow. It is because of the high duties on explosives that European manufacturers have been so ready to agree to keep out of the American market. If the duties were repealed they would be greatly tempted to cancel their agreement and begin active competition.

OBEY THE LAW.

One fuddle headed sentimentalist will do more injury to a real reform than ten reactionaries.

The parole system judiciously applied within definite limits is approved by the best opinion. As a means of employing a reasonable judicial discretion in the matter of minor offenses, where judges have the quasi-parental or disciplinary character proper in a popular court, use of parole is advisable.

But no judge has a right to exercise any power or any discretion not vested in him by law. Municipal Judge Cleland would do well to consider this seriously. America is not organized on oriental principles. Its government is one of law. Our judges do not sit at a city gate dispensing judgment on the basis of their own personal theories of justice. They are supposed to be men who know law and they are sworn to administer law.

Zeal for the ethical betterment of individuals is admirable if intelligently expressed. But it does not condone the evasion of legal right. If Judge Cleland is withholding the right to bail for the purpose of keeping defendants under surveillance or inducing them to enter into an agreement with the judge to reform he is defying the law he is sworn to administer, and, however good his motive, he is setting a precedent for the gravest evil known to civilised society—arbitrary, personal judgment.

Judge Cleland is charged with illegal commitment and the refusal of bail. It is an offense against the laws of the land and against the welfare of the community, of which, if he is guilty, he must purge himself. Every man is entitled to the law. If Judge Cleland doesn't understand this he is unfit to sit in any court.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Point in Their Favor.

BILL de Burglar—"Ther's one thing I like about these mounted p'leecemen, anyway."

Pete de Pickpocket—"Wot's that?"

Bill de Burglar—"They can't ride no ninety-eight miles in one day."

The Affectionate Kinsman.

His Legal Adviser—"That distant relative of yours is an old nuisance, you say, and yet you think you ought to do something for him, do you? Well, why not settle an annuity on him?"

Millionaire—"Great Cæsar, no! People who draw annuities never die!"

Anything to Oblige Him.

"Herbert," said the stern father, "I suppose you are going to marry that doll faced, wasp waisted, pink cheeked, simpering, giggling, gum chewing, poverty stricken little Miss Wredlip."

"No, father," answered the dutiful son; "if you prefer it I will marry that long, lean, freckle faced, sharp chinned, goggle eyed, solemn, austere, raucous voiced, vinegary, suspicious, blue nosed, lantern jawed, prim, rich old Miss Allkoyne."

"You shan't!" roared the indignant old gentleman. "You're not half good enough for her!"

Thus a soft answer may turn away a hard fate.

Plenty of Company.

"Loan shark, is he?"

"I should say not! There are whole schools of him in this town."

Why They Don't.

Would some oracle might utter,
Giving me the reason why
Maidens in a constant flutter
Never fly!

—Indianapolis News.

Needs no oracle to answer!
Ribald rhymester, cease thy mirth.
They are held by some young man, sir,
Down to earth.

Reminded Him.

Little Boy (meddling with his father's documents)—"Papa, this letter from Mr. Muntoburn has a postscript, 'B. T. L.' What does that——"

Absent Minded Statesman—"Give me that letter, son!"
(Hastily burns it.) C. W. T.

TO STOP THE SALE OF GAME.

[From the Kansas City Star.]

"The sale of game is exterminating all our game animals and birds," says a resolution presented by H. R. Wamsley at a meeting called last night at 918 Main street to talk about the "game hog."

Since the repeal of the Wamsley game law there has been no legal restriction of a practical nature to the killing of birds and animals. A new bill has been prepared similar to the old act, fixing a close season for certain animals and entirely forbidding the killing of others. The bill also provides for a minimum penalty of $50 for the offense of selling or offering for sale any bird, game or fish protected by the act, whether taken within or without the state of Missouri.

"The most important point in the whole proposition is to stop the sale of game," said Mr. Wamsley last night. "It is not the man who kills for the sport that does the real harm, although some misguided men seem to believe that the more they kill the greater the sport. The United States department of agriculture, the National Audubon society, and the League of American Sportsmen have all expressed their approval of the measure as embodied in the proposed act."

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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LORD DUDLEY, the new governor general of Australia, is at loggerheads with the foreign consuls general in that great dependency. In fact, the foreign consuls have inaugurated a social boycott of the earl, which is likely to injure no one but themselves. For, inasmuch as Lord and Lady Dudley are by virtue of their official rank, their wealth, and their great personal popularity the hub of all social life in Australia, the refusal of the consuls to meet the governor general merely has the effect of their cutting themselves off from intercourse with all those people who constitute the best and most agreeable classes of the community.

Through the good nature, ignorance of official etiquette, and indifference of former governors of the various antipodean colonies, before Australia was transformed into a huge commonwealth, subject to the sway of a governor general, the consuls and consuls general were permitted to gradually usurp diplomatic prerogatives, and status, until they have grown to look upon themselves as not mere consular officials to whom exequaturs had been granted to enable them to fulfill certain clerical duties in connection with the promotion of the trade and the clearing of the shipping of their respective countries, but as full fledged envoys accredited as diplomatic representatives of their government to the chief executive of the commonwealth. They put forward, and by degrees secured, prerogatives that a minister plenipotentiary, or even an ambassador, would hesitate to demand, and were constantly squabbling, both among themselves and with the federal and state officials, about silly questions of precedence.

Lord Dudley, having heard about this before sailing for Australia, took counsel with the colonial department and the foreign office in London, and as a result thereof intimated quietly on his arrival in Australia as governor general that he did not propose to continue to accord to the consuls any exceptional privileges or to recognise in them envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary of their respective countries.

International law and treaties unite in declaring foreign consuls have no special privileges beyond other foreigners, and are thus subject to the laws, civil and criminal, of the country in which they reside. Foreign consuls in this country, for instance, are obliged to obey a subpœna, and enjoy none of those immunities of customs dues, and from arrest, that are accorded to all diplomatic representatives. The consular exequatur, concerning the nature of which so many seem in doubt, has nothing in common with the letter of credence of an envoy. It is a document issued to the consul not by his own government but by the government of the country in which he is sent to reside, and which authorizes him to fulfill his consular duties, as long as he behaves himself. If he gives any offense to the authorities of the land in which he is stationed his exequatur may be withdrawn at any moment, and within the last eighteen months we have seen a foreign consul at St. Louis deprived for several months of his exequatur, by order of the president of the United States.

Lord Dudley has therefore been entirely justified in putting back the foreign consuls in Australia in their proper places, in declining to accord to them the precedence, the prerogatives, and the immunities of diplomatic envoys, and in treating them on the same footing as any other reputable citizen, foreign or native. During all the years that he spent as viceroy at Dublin, none of the foreign consuls there ever dreamt of demanding to be treated at the castle and at state functions as if they were envoys of their countries to the kingdom of Ireland, and as accredited to his viceregal court, and he cannot for the life of him see why the foreign consuls in Australia should insist upon any different treatment than that of their colleagues in the capital of the Emerald Isle.

The trouble never would have arisen had it not been for the difficulties constantly raised regarding matters of etiquette by the foreign consuls in Australia. Popular sentiment in the antipodes is wholly with Lord Dudley in the matter, and the solemn announcement by the consuls that they will not call on the governor general, accept any of his invitations, or consent to meet him, has excited nothing but ridicule and derision. It is fortunate, indeed, for the consuls that their attitude is regarded in this light. Were it to excite indignation, it might lead to the withdrawal of their exequaturs, on the ground of the offense which they have given to the governor general. Anyhow, it may be questioned whether they are likely to promote the commercial interests of their country—which is the principal object of their mission—by quarreling with the authorities of the dependency to which they have been assigned, about pretensions to a precedence to which they have no right. The matter is likely, however, to lead to a new interchange of views between the various governments on the subject of consuls, defining afresh their attributes, which are likely to be restricted rather than enlarged, particularly in view of the fact that so many consuls are not even citizens of the country for which they act, but subjects of the government of the land in which they are stationed.

In Paris an exhibition is about to be opened of original works of art by ladies of royal and imperial rank, and a considerable sum will undoubtedly be realized thereby, for the benefit of the charity on behalf of which it has been organized. Among the works shown will be a number of paintings of animals, chiefly horses and dogs, by Princess Waldemar of Denmark, daughter of Robert of Orleans, duc de Chartres. King Edward's sister, Princess Louise, duchess of Argyle, will be represented by several pieces of sculpture; Queen Victoria, her mother, by water color sketches and etchings; and Empress Marie Louise, the Austrian consort of the first Emperor Napoleon, some mediocre oil paintings of religious subjects.

Queen Hortense of Holland, the mother of Napoleon III., was particularly clever with her pencil and brush, and left numerous examples of her art, several of which will be shown. There are also to be three pictures of Queen Marie Leszcynska, the cruelly neglected consort of Louis XV., and a portrait of Queen Marie of Medici, painted by herself and presented by her with a dedication to a painter of the name of Philippe de Champagne. Queen Louise of the Belgians, mother of King Leopold, will be represented at the show by paintings of a classical character, the present czarina by clever caricatures, and Empress Marie, consort of Czar Paul I., by some wonderfully artistic sculptures. Archduchess Maria Therese by paintings, and Empress Frederick by sculptures as well as by paintings.

That the grand bazaar organized by the czarina for the benefit of her favorite charities should have taken place in the superb salons of the Kleinmichel palace, on the Sergius Kaja, serves to emphasize once more the fact that the old Countess Kleinmichel still retains her preëminence in the great world at St. Petersburg. Most of the grand duchesses had tables and acted as saleswomen at the bazaar, and everybody that belonged to the court or society put in an appearance, with the result that a large sum was realized.

The countess, who has been a great beauty in her day, and who is one of the wittiest and cleverest women on the banks of the Neva, with a remarkable aptitude for extorting confidences and secrets from statesmen and diplomats, is the widow of a man whose father commenced life as a mere Finland peasant, and ended his career as one of the richest men of the Muscovite empire, his enormous fortune having been acquired as a contractor in the construction of the St. Petersburg-Moscow railroad. So stupendous were the accounts which he was wont to present to the Russian treasury for his work done on the railroad—bills which were always held up until Nicholas I. peremptorily ordered their payment—that even to this day, whenever a statement filed with the government is more than ordinarily extravagant, it is at once described as "a Kleinmichel account."

The countess' salon has been a perfect providence to foreign diplomats, who not only met there everybody worth knowing, but likewise were able to pick up much of what was going on, not alone at St. Petersburg but also in other capitals. But whoever was allowed to frequent her palace may be relied upon to have contributed, perhaps consciously, and perhaps, too, unconsciously, to her extraordinary store of information.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

[No communications unaccompanied by the name and address of the writer—which will not be published if not desired—will appear. Communications for this department must not exceed 300 words.—Ed. Tribune.]

Nickel Theaters Badly Ventilated.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—The city authorities are negligent in permitting certain small nickel theaters to run without being inspected as to their ventilation. I think, on investigation, you will find the majority occupy storerooms without any means of ventilation in cold weather, and the only fresh air they get is when the doors are opened and people come in and go out.

It is hard to keep our children from these places, and I think it is the duty of the health commissioner to investigate all of these theaters and see that proper provision is made for pure air before they are granted a license to operate.

A visit to three of these places of amusement in Thirty-first street, between Michigan avenue and Grand boulevard, on a cold evening will give a practical demonstration of the real conditions. W. E. PHILLIPS.

Degrades President $100,000 Salary.

Chesterton, Ind., Jan. 22.—[Editor of the Tribune.] I am an old soldier out of a job and consequently I read a good deal. I notice congress making the president's salary $100,000 a year, and when it comes to my mind when I was marching in mud and fighting to save the country for the small sum of $13 a month or $156 per annum it strikes me that it doesn't even up as it should, for the one that saved the government and the one that is looking after it. F. C. BARNES.

Milk Commission Officers Explain.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Since an item in the morning papers may have given an erroneous impression with reference to the milk commission of Chicago, its officers wish to make a statement.

The milk commission, which started six years ago, has recently been incorporated under the laws of Illinois. Its chief business is supplying modified and pasteurized milk, the best product that can be secured, for the use of sick babies in the homes of the poor. Last year 735,000 bottles were distributed from its twenty-one selling stations situated in the most congested parts of the city. The work has grown through the cooperation of physicians and by reason of the beneficial results achieved.

The milk commission took up the work of certification only because there was no other agency in the field. When, recently, the Chicago Medical society became interested in certification, officers of the milk commission met with a committee of the medical society and explained its provision and proposed plan for certification, but stating to the medical society representatives at the same time that since certification was concerned with high grade milk which could be afforded only by the well to do, the milk commission stood ready to relinquish this branch of its work, provided the medical society decided not to accept the milk commission's invitation to name representatives to serve on the certification committee. The Chicago Medical society adopted the following resolution on Jan. 12:

Resolved, That the Chicago Medical society expresses its high appreciation of the valuable work of the milk commission in supplying wholesome milk for infant feeding and offers to assist the commission in this work in all possible ways.

JULIAN W. MACK, President.
S. C. KINGSLEY,
Chairman Executive Committee.

Resents Attack on Roosevelt.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—The malignant and infamous Willett's tirade against President Roosevelt should be bitterly resented by every loyal American. If it is possible for a depraved mind to reach a plane where it can offer a direct insult to the nation then the utterances of that monument of swinish grossness should awaken the public to the absolute necessity of more effectually restraining such persons from outraging common decency.

WILLIAM I. JENKINS.

Lincoln and the "Plain" People.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—In an advertisement announcing a special issue of THE TRIBUNE on Feb. 7 in honor of Lincoln's centenary, I have noticed the use of the words "common people," as quoted from one of his sayings.

In all the writings of Lincoln, including his speeches, etc., read by me I have been struck by his use of the words "plain people" in preference. Indeed, I made a special search in his writings some time ago to find if he used "common" instead of "plain" in this connection at any time, and I convinced myself that he invariably used the latter word.

He evidently used the word "plain" because to him it was a happier word than "common." Was it not his Christ-like sympathy with the masses that led him to reject the harsher term, which has more than a tinge of depreciation in its meaning, in many of its applications? And besides, we know that he himself was of the "plain" people, but not of the "common."

This may seem like splitting hairs, but Lincoln's writings will bear me out in my contention.

A LOVER OF LINCOLN.

"THIS IS MY BIRTHDAY"
—Shakspeare.

"It is 23 for you" will be the pleasantry tossed to Chicago men whose birthday anniversary falls on this day of January. Whether or not they had a prenatal aversion for the number, there are not many of them—a doctor or two, a brace of lawyers, and a few others well known in their respective circles.

Dr. L. L. McArthur, 4415 Drexel boulevard, is 51.

Thomas H. Cannon, attorney, who has stood high in the councils of the Catholic Order of Foresters, and a native of Chicago, is 45. He lives at 1372 Sheridan road.

Marius Kirkeby, secretary of the seed company with which he is connected, is 49. Norway is his birth place and any flowers today will go to 1396 North Sawyer avenue.

Andrew Jackson Moynihan, who was born at the southwest corner of State and Madison streets, is 55.

M. D. Follansbee, born in Chicago, taking a Chicago bride, and now living at 52 Belleyue place, is 20. He is a lawyer.

Robert L. Morley, western manager of the Michigan Stove company, is 60. England is his native land, his Chicago home 563 Winthrop avenue.

Col. Joseph H. Barnett, engraver in business and member of the Illinois national guard for nearly thirty years, is 50. Austin is his home.

Arthur B. Cotton, 858 West Monroe street, president of the Brydon Trimmed Hat company, is 64.

Dr. B. Brindley Eads, 663½ Washington boulevard, is 39.

Charles W. Knapp, publisher of the St. Louis Republic and prominent in the politics of his state, is 61.

Benoit Constant Coquelin, the French actor, is 68.

Nicholas Michels was married on his twenty-third birthday and is today twice 23 years old (46). Mr. Michels is a lawyer and is secretary of the Liberty league.

MORE CHICAGO GIFTS FOR QUAKE SUFFERERS

	Contributions yesterday.	Totals to date.
"Tribune" fund	$ 5.00	$ 13,804.11
Red Cross fund, exclusive of contributions made through other funds	3,008.46	75,531.34
Italian consulate fund	582.00	44,971.28
Daily News fund	14.12	4,068.21
Catholic church fund	.....	24,150.00
Waldenstan society	.....	838.13
Totals	$3,609.58	$163,341.47

"TRIBUNE" FUND.

$5—M. and D.
Total received yesterday $5.00

NEWS OF THE THEATERS

Thomas Orchestra.

If the approval with which the novelty on yesterday afternoon's program of the Thomas orchestra was received may be taken as any indication of the local music public's taste, then the Chicago Wood Wind choir, which was formed by members of the orchestra earlier in the season, should have no hesitancy in coming forward in a chamber music concert.

The novelty was a "Serenade for Wind Instruments" by Walter Lampe, a young Leipsic composer who called the attention of musical Germany to himself and his abilities by having this work given at the festival of the Allgemeiner Musik-Verein meeting in Frankfort in 1904. The composition, which is in four movements, is written for fifteen instruments of the wind choir—two flutes, two oboes, English horn, two clarinets, bass clarinet, two bassoons, double bassoon, and four horns—and as played by the members of the Chicago Wood Wind Choir and certain of their colleagues of the orchestra it found unexpected approval and kindly reception at the hands of the audience.

The work is one of more than average musical worth, not only skill being shown in the handling of the not usual instrumental material but the thematic stuff from which the work is fashioned has vitality, character, and individuality, and possesses much of charm presented as it is. The melody and the harmony both disclose much of originality, and one of the most promising elements of the composition is the pronounced humor that is contained in all of the four movements.

The instruments of the wind choir include the ablest jokers of all the orchestra, and Lampe has understood how to bring into delightfully contrasting relationship to the serious matter of the score the moments of real tonal merit which these jokers can supply. Especially effective in matter and neat in texture are the Scherzo and the Adagio. The performance was one which reflects the highest credit upon both Mr. Stock and the fifteen men who played. The balancing of instrumental forces of this kind is not easy, particularly in so large a hall, and it must have taken much of care and consideration to have brought everything to such fine proportion and symmetry as were in evidence.

The other orchestral selections were in the main familiar. Dvorak's three Overtures—"Nature," "Carnival," and "Othello"—began the program. They are compositions of great beauty, especially the first two, and give every promise of making place for themselves among the classic literature of the orchestra. They are real music—music that will live.

After the Lampe selection came two of the Strauss exoticisms—the "Dance of the Seven Veils" from "Salome" and the closing scene from "Fire Famine." It is music wonderful in color and in the dazzling technical virtuosity shown in its construction, but its frank seeking for animalistic sensuous suggestiveness makes it a tonal creation than can scarcely be regarded as healthful nor one destined to gain an enduring place in literature. The orchestra played both numbers with transcendent skill and spirit.

The soloist of the afternoon was Walter Unger, the second 'cello principal of the orchestra and a player who has not been put forward as soloist for many seasons. He was greeted in a manner which showed clearly the high place he holds in the esteem of the patrons of the concerts, and his playing was received with all the heartiness that both friendliness and appreciation of worthy effort could supply.

He had chosen for performance the D-minor Concerto of De Swert, a composition which is rather old-fashioned when viewed in the light of later day productions, but which nevertheless contains much that is melodious and appealing, and is particularly grateful for the soloist. Mr. Unger always has possessed a tone of great smoothness, richness, and beauty, and the concerto gave him abundant opportunity to display this tone at its loveliest.

The day was one particularly trying on stringed instruments, and this, combined with slight nervousness, made occasional lapses from pitch almost unavoidable, but after a few phrases the player gained full command of his powers and the performance went admirably. The audience was generously appreciative, and received as encore a short number played with harp accompaniment supplied by Mr. Singer.

The program will be given again tonight, commencing at 8:15 o'clock.

W. L. HUBBARD.

Students Give Henry James Drama.

Just what prompted Director J. H. Gilmour of the Chicago Musical College School of Acting to resurrect an ancient and creaky dramatisation of Henry James' story of "Daisy Miller" it is not easy to determine. But Thursday afternoon a four act play concerning that volatile young American heroine was displayed in the Studebaker theater by his students.

Perhaps the play was used as an illustration in a course on the elimination of common faults. Certain it is that the young people were forced to do many things they should not be permitted to do during its performance. They should not talk like characters in a story book, for one thing, and that is the only kind of dialogue there is in "Daisy Miller." And they should not glory in the employment of the old fashioned "aside" that acquainted the audience with the precise and quite obvious thought at the moment filtering through the brain of the character. In the drama of which this old play is an example it was deemed inconsiderate of the personages in the play to leave the stage while changing their minds, and they invariably contributed that action to their activities of the evening.

The play served, however, to give several interesting students a chance to become familiar with the footlights and the public, and probably that was Mr. Gilmour's one excuse for using it. The students included a handsome and neatly composed young woman, Maidel Turner Taylor, who played the heroine; Robert Seymour, a personable but still somewhat nervous young man, and a lively and stage broke juvenile named Arthur Birge. Others were Katherine Pinkerton, Henrietta Dix, Stella Michels, Mary Mott, James Ogden, John Davis, Marshall Sayles, and John K. Davis. John B. Miller and Leonora Antoinette Allen gave the balcony scene from Gounod's "Romeo and Juliet" as a curtain raiser.

The box office receipts will be devoted by the Messrs. Ziegfeld to the Italian earthquake fund.

BURNS MANTLE.

"Electra" Wonderful in Music.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, Jan. 22.—Exhausting rehearsals of Richard Strauss' new opera "Electra" ended tonight with the final dress rehearsal, held in rigid secrecy. The performers demanded and obtained three days' respite for the production of the work, which will be given at the Royal opera house in Dresden next Monday night. Every seat was sold weeks ago.

It is stated that "Electra" surpasses "Salome" in its startling effects. No music so extraordinary ever before was written for the stage. Mme. Schumann-Heink, who sings the part of Clytemnestra, is quoted as saying that the vocal parts are not singing at all, but a thunderous medley of groans, moans, and sighs, requiring intense dramatic power and endless outbursts of fury and passion.

The thunder of the Wagnerian orchestra is a whisper compared with "Electra." Strauss, it is said, expended immense efforts in inducing the orchestra to increase the volume of sound. He has increased the number of musicians from 90 to 122, and would add another 25 if there were room for them.

For the purpose of realism he has crowded the stage with people and animals to the point of suffocation. For the great spectacular scene a sacrificial procession demanded a large number of different kinds of animals. The management conceded sheep and donkeys, but drew the line at a herd of bulls. Indeed, Schumann-Heink, who wears a flaming red robe, threatened to desert if the bulls were allowed on the stage. It now is stated that the composer has agreed to compromise on "cows wearing bulb horns."

Hardly!

"Billy" Bryan, a popular Missouri railroad conductor, has retired after forty years of service. Possibly his name sake at Lincoln plans to equal that running record.—Omaha Bee.

SCHOOL MEN ACT; NO QUORUM

Contract for Power and Lighting Delayed by an Error.

COWS PRESENT A PROBLEM.

Supt. Cooley to Issue Bulletin Today Concerning Art Institute.

The Commonwealth Edison school lighting and power contract encountered a comedy of errors yesterday which placed the date of its adoption at least two weeks farther into the future.

At a meeting of the buildings and grounds committee in the afternoon Chairman Joseph Downey read a letter from R. R. McCormick, president of the drainage board, in which Mr. McCormick admitted freely that the sanitary district is not in a position to supply the number of schools required by the school board—70 per cent of the total—and, in effect, recommended the acceptance of the Commonwealth Edison contract.

The official call for the committee meeting had set 2 o'clock as the hour, but through a change in the plans the committee was called to order at 2. At this time only four members were present, but Chairman Downey failed to note the fact.

Downey Proceeds to Business.

"It is evident the sanitary district cannot comply with our requirements," he said.

Trustee Spiegel, who made this same statement when the contract first was submitted, more than two months ago, smiled.

"Well," he said, "when we were discussing the matter with the sanitary district Raymond Robins said that if 70 per cent of the schools could not be supplied by the drainage board he would accept the other contract. I move that it be recommended."

The contract was passed, and for an hour the committee devoted itself to other business.

At 3 o'clock Trustees Sonsteby and Mills appeared.

"What's doing?" they asked a newspaper man.

"Why, the Commonwealth——"

"What!" yelled the trustees, in unison. "We demand that this go over two weeks!"

Mr. Downey had been glancing thoughtfully around the table.

"H—m," he said. "You're right, gentlemen; you're right. We didn't have a quorum here when we passed the contract. If we sent this to the board they'd just send it back for us to do over again."

And the much discussed measure was restored to its place on the waiting list.

Fears Cows Won't Last.

Mr. Downey entered into an agreement with the members of his committee by which, if ten cows do not die at the parental school within the year, each committeeman is to get a new hat.

Peter A. Mortenson, superintendent of the parental school, sent in a request for a herd of twenty cows to supply milk at the school.

"What's the use," said Mr. Downey. "We'll just about get these cows, and then a tuberculosis expert will come along and condemn the herd and we'll have to kill them. Why not buy the milk from a dealer?"

"Well, we've got a $6,000 barn out there," suggested Trustee Spiegel. "Better put something in it, hadn't we?"

"Give them ten cows then," returned the chairman. "But if they're not all dead in a year I'll buy each one of you a new hat."

Cooley to Issue Bulletin.

An official special bulletin will be sent from Supt. Cooley's office today to every teacher and principal, notifying them that the Art Institute has been dropped from the schools' accredited list for promotional credits. This, it is expected, will allay any doubts that may have arisen through the conferences between officials of the school board and the Art institute.

PROMINENT MEN WILL SPEAK AT THE LINCOLN EXERCISES.

Delegates to Religious Educational Association Convention Decide to Take Part in Memorial Services Here.

An unexpected and important addition to the Lincoln week program was made yesterday when the Centennial committee learned of the willingness of the Religious Education association, which convenes in Orchestra hall Feb. 9-11 for its sixth general convention, to join in commemorating the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of the great emancipator.

Leaders of the clergy in all the Protestant denominations, eminent orators, presidents and instructors from universities and colleges and illustrious laymen are expected to participate in the association's convention and, according to the arrangements now made, to aid in the memorial exercises.

Ambassador Bryce will speak Thursday, Feb. 11, in Orchestra hall, and, though his subject has not yet been announced, it is expected he will touch upon some phase of Lincoln's many sided life.

Miss Jane Addams of Hull house will deliver an address on "Let Reverence for Law Become the Political Religion of a Nation." Jenkin Lloyd Jones will speak on "Abraham Lincoln, the Fraternalist." Among others who will speak are President Henry C. Pritchett of the Carnegie foundation, former President Eliot of Harvard, Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, Prof. George Greenwood Peabody, and President James of the University of Illinois, President Northrup of the University of Minnesota, President M

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NEWS OF THE SOCIETY WORLD

160 Couples Attend Last Assembly Dance of Season.

PRECEDED BY MANY DINNERS

Oak Park Has a New and Fashionable Walking Club.

Last night brought the last of the Assembly dances for the season, and some 150 couples of Chicago folk to the Congress hotel ballroom to partake of its enjoyments. The dancing began late, for before the affair the usual group of dinners had been given. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chalmers, 23 Lake Shore drive, entertained at their home in honor of their guest, Miss Evelyn Ellison of Philadelphia, who arrived on Thursday for a six days' visit, and the other guests included Mr. and Mrs. James Ward Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rawson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Elting, Miss Margaret Keep, Miss Helen Campbell, Miss Edith Hoyt, Miss Margaret Billings, Miss Agnes Booth, Miss Helen Fair, Perry Kenly, Pearce Anderson, Howard Gillette, Bruce Borland, Garrard Winston, Charles Brown of Lake Forest, and Thomas Chalmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Winterbotham Jr. entertained a large company of young people at their home, 407 East Superior street, the party including Mrs. Winterbotham's sister, Miss Gertrude Hall of Morristown, N. J., who after a month's visit expects to return to her home within a week. The guests from town were Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. John Borden, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Borland, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coleman Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chase, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Winterbotham, Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Haines, Miss Marjorie Robbins, Miss Lucy Blair, Miss Agnes Street, Benjamin Cable, Douglas Street, Hugh Black, and Corning Kenly. Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank were other dinner givers of the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Viles of Astor street and Mrs. Henry Knott, each entertaining a company of twelve, Mrs. Knott's dinner given for her debutante daughter, Miss Lucy Knott, and a few of her friends.

The dance itself was much like its predecessor. Quoting the statement of one of the governors, "There was no money to blow in on elaborate details this year," and so the two assembly dances for the year were planned without this accompaniment. Last night, however, a cotillon was danced, led by Howard Gillette, William E. Clow Jr., and Morris Johnston, for which dainty but inexpensive favors were given. No specially planned sets were danced. However, one figure called for shaded flower fans for the women and shaded flower shaving pads for the men; another where the women drew Geisha headdress and the men Geisha masques; another where old fashioned carpet bags made of paper flowers fell to the lot of the women and tallyho horns of corresponding style to the men; and still others where crowns of flowers, combs of flowers, tambourines, brooms of paper flowers, and whips, similarly decorated, were given.

The marriage of Miss Rose F. Jones to George W. Roberts will take place Wednesday, Jan. 27, at noon, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones, 2108 Michigan avenue. Owing to the condition of Mr. Jones' health only the immediate members of the families will be present. Upon their return from a brief wedding journey Mr. and Mrs. Roberts will be at the Moraine hotel, Highland Park. After April 1 they will be at home at 912 Sheridan road, the same village.

Oak Park has a new and fashionable walking club which is scheduled for a long tramp today. The club was organized, practically, by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel G. Trench and the Misses Danita and Beatrice Trench, whose habit it has been during recent years to go out in the early morning for a horseback ride over Oak Park and its surrounding country. Recently this plan has been changed to long walks, and friends and neighbors have joined them in their tramps until a full fledged walking club has been organized. Some of the other members of the club are Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Peebles Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Patton. Today the club will join the members of the Chicago Playgrounds association at the Polk street depot at 1 o'clock and leave for Willow Springs a half hour later. They will leave the Springs for a walk of six miles along Flag creek to Hinsdale. E. W. Roper and E. E. Brown will be the leaders.

Mrs. Frank C. Farnum will entertain eight women friends at luncheon next Tuesday in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. James L. Farnum. The luncheon will be given at a special table at the Tuesday Art and Travel club luncheon in the Congress hotel ballroom. The guests at Mrs. Farnum's special table will be Mrs. Edward J. Dwyer, Mrs. George Knisely, Mrs. J. H. Clark, Mrs. George Greenburg, Miss Celia Sturm, and Miss Helen Bright.

Mrs. John De Koven, 402 Dearborn avenue, will receive the members of the Causeries on Samedi today. Dr. Alice Brugnot will give a lecture on "The Poetry of the Nineteenth Century."

L'Après-Midi Littéraire will meet at the residence of Mrs. T. L. Sulzberger, 4404 Michigan avenue, today. "La Cour et le Peuple au 17 Eme Siècle" will be Dr Brugnot's topic.

Miss Helena Brander Robbins, 174 Fifty-first street, will entertain forty friends at bridge today in honor of Miss Sneve of St. Paul.

Miss Anderson, 4311 Ellis avenue, left yesterday for a visit to Buffalo, New York, and Washington.

SOCIETY AT NATION'S CAPITAL.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt Entertain Large Company at Dinner—Reception and Dance Follow.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained at dinner tonight at the White house, their guests being the German ambassador and Countess von Bernstorff, Senator Warren, Senator and Mrs. Carter, Representative and Mrs. Alexander, Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Satterlee, Mr. William Phillips, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Cowles, Mr. and Mrs. John Callan O'Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Reeve Merritt, Mrs. Lee, Baroness Marguerite Monsheur, Miss Elkins, Miss Phillips, Miss Tyler, Miss Janetta Alexander, Miss Constance Hoyt, Miss Roosevelt, Mr. von R. Prittwitz, Baron Stum, Lieut. Commander Andre M. Proctor, United States navy; M. Willard D. Straight, Capt. Lay, U. S. A.; Lieut. Rowell, U. S. N.

The guests were seated at the large table in the state dining room, which was decorated with Killarney roses and white hyacinths. After the dinner two or three hundred additional guests arrived for a reception and supper given in honor of Miss Roosevelt. The guests were largely of the younger set and were recruited from the diplomatic corps, the army and navy and official and residential society.

Miss Helen Cannon entertained at a pretty luncheon today.

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Sold by all our Sales Agents and at our Fifty Retail Stores

HAMILTON CLUB MEMBERS WILL VISIT JOLIET TODAY.

Accompanied by Their Wives, They Will See the Penitentiary, the Steel Mills, and Sanitary District Power Plant.

Accompanied by their wives the members of the Hamilton club will leave this morning for Joliet, where they will visit the steel mills, the penitentiary, and the coke ovens. While there they will be the guests of Mayor John R. Cronin and Warden E. J. Murphy.

The party will assemble at the Union station and leave at 9 o'clock on the Chicago and Alton train. After their pilgrimage to the penitentiary they will have luncheon and make preparations to go to the coke ovens, where President R. R. McCormick of the sanitary district will meet them. Later he will conduct the party on a tour of inspection through the power plant of the sanitary district at Lockport.

Dates for Meetings.

THE SYLVAN CLUB entertained with an informal dance last evening at Victoria hall.

THE FIRST OF SIX lectures at the Moody Bible institute will be given tonight by Dr. James M. Gray.

THE ALLIANCE FRANCAISE will hear M. Gaston Arnoult today noon in Fullerton hall, Art institute.

MARQUETTE COUNCIL, K. of C., will listen to an illustrated lecture Sunday afternoon by Father Cojle on "Central Africa," describing the "sleeping sickness."

THE LEAGUE OF COOK COUNTY CLUBS will hold its regular meeting today in the women's clubrooms, Fine Arts building.

THE I. O. H. GIRLS' CLUB will be addressed this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Miss Irene Ballinger, 406 East Forty-fourth street, by Mrs. Herman Falkenstein.

THE SOCIETY OF ANTHROPOLOGY will hear an address Sunday afternoon by Frank H. Cumerford.

THE CHICAGO MEDICAL SOCIETY'S free popular lecture this evening will be delivered by Dr. Daniel R. Brower.

THE SOCIETY FOR ETHICAL CULTURE will hear an address by William M. Salter tomorrow morning.

THE CHICAGO COLLEGE CLUB will listen to an address this afternoon by Maude Radford Warren.

THE GERMANIA MANNERCHOR will have a concert this evening, followed by dancing.

THE IROQUOIS CLUB will give a house warming in its new clubrooms, 110-121 La Salle street, this evening.

THE BIRCHWOOD COUNTRY CLUB will have a musical program this evening.

THE SUBURBAN CIVICS CLUB will hear an address this afternoon at the Scoville Institute, Oak Park, by Miss Alice Henry of Australia.

THE CHICAGO FREE KINDERGARTEN ALUMNAE CLUB will hear the first of a series of lectures this morning by Caroline Crawford of Columbia university.

THE COLONIAL CLUB will entertain this evening with "gentlemen's guest night."

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF BANKING will give its eighth annual banquet this evening at the Auditorium hotel. Prof. J. C. Monaghan of St. John's college, Brooklyn, will talk.

THE CITY CLUB will hear Prof. J. Paul Goode of the University of Chicago this afternoon.

THE ARTCRAFT INSTITUTE will hold guest night this evening.

THE MATHEON will hear a lecture recital this morning in the West Chicago Masonic temple by Mrs. Seymour Carpenter on "Mark Twain."

CARNEGIE GIVES SIX BUILDINGS.

Indianapolis Pledges Itself to Furnish Sum of $12,000 a Year to Maintain Libraries.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 22.—Andrew Carnegie today notified Mayor Bookwalter he would give $120,000 to Indianapolis for the erection of six branch library buildings. The gift is conditioned on the city furnishing the sites and $12,000 each year for the maintenance of the libraries.

MODERN NATIONS LIKE ROME

Returning to the Spirit of the Ancients, Ferrero Says.

ECONOMIC UNITY SOLE IDEA.

Indifference to Efforts Put Forth for Morality Is Asserted.

Modern nations are returning to the spirit of ancient Rome. In their desire to form a great political and economic union, at the expense of intellectual and moral unity, all the countries of Europe are approaching the condition of the Roman empire in the time of Augustus.

This was the new historical truth pointed out yesterday by Guglielmo Ferrero, the Italian historian, in his final lecture at the University of Chicago on "The Social Development of the Roman Empire." Sig. Ferrero drew an exact parallel between the conditions in Europe and those obtaining in the times of Augustus.

Policies Like Those of Rome.

"Look about you. What do you see? A world that looks more like the Roman empire than it does the middle ages—that is, of great states whose dominating classes have almost all the essential ideas of Greco-Latin civilisation, each seeking to better its own condition. They are forced to establish among themselves the strictest economic relations and to bind into the system of their interests also barbarous countries and those of different civilisations. This is the policy of the contemporary states and was the policy of the Roman empire.

"We are returning, in a vaster world, to the condition of the Roman empire it its beginnings, to an immense economic unity, grander and firmer than all preceding, to an indifference to every effort put forth to establish a moral and ideal unit among the nations great and small that share in this political and economic unity.

Clamorous Men Are Ideals.

"Augustus has been in our century somewhat the victim of Napoleon. The extraordinary general course of events at the beginning of the nineteenth century made so lively an impression upon succeeding generations that for the century people have been able to admire only great agitators of men and events whose lives are filled with storms and clamorous action. Compared with Napoleon or Cæsar, the life of Augustus is simple and colorless. However, he spent his entire career in necessary policies to upbuild Rome."

Sig. Ferrero and his wife were the dinner guests of Edward E. Ayer last night. They will leave today for Niagara Falls.

ADVERTISES FOR THE LOST SUN.

Illinoisan, Confident of Results, Inserts a Weather Appeal in "The Tribune" Columns.

Once more the want ad columns of THE TRIBUNE have been resorted to for the purpose of obtaining a change in weather. In the personal column today appears the ad:

WANTED—THE SUN TO SHINE.

The appeal hails from Terre Haute, Ill., where it appears the sun has not favored the landscape in some time. The ad was inserted by Rolla C. Stokes, secretary and manager of the Stokes Manufacturing company of Terre Haute. The ad was inclosed in the following letter from Mr. Stokes:

"Realising the phenomenal results that have been accomplished through the advertising columns of THE TRIBUNE, and fearing that cloudy weather is going to continue throughout the entire year, we ask that you insert the following ad in your columns and send the bill to us."

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Has Been Before the Public For Thirty-six Years,
In the Experience of the Following Physicians It Has a Pronounced Value in the Treatment of

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Uric Acid Troubles and Inflammation of the Bladder. — Roberts Bartholow, Jas. K. Cook, Hunter McGuire, John T. Metcalf, Frank Woodbury, Alex. B. Mott, Chas. B. Nancrede, Nathan S. Davis, Jr., Jas. L. Cabell, P. B. Barringer, A. F. A. King, T. Griswold Comstock, Jos. Holt and Giuseppe Lapponi.

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THEMES OF LECTURES:
Jan. 23—Is Satan a Person?
Jan. 30—The Evil of Christian Science.
Feb. 6—The Power Behind the Medium.
Feb. 13—The Heresies of the Millennial Dawn.
Feb. 20—Is the World Growing Better or Worse?
Feb. 27—What Is the Second Coming of Christ?

ORCHESTRA HALL
TONIGHT AT 8:15
THOMAS ORCHESTRA
FREDERICK STOCK, Conductor.
WALTER UNGER, 'CELLO SOLOIST

F. WIGHT NEUMANN Announces
ORCHESTRA HALL
TOMORROW at 3:30
Only Recital appearance, the Young Russian Violin Virtuoso, the Greatest Violinist of the Present Time
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Seats now at Box Office, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50. Boxes, $12.

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The FAIR CO-ED
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Also New Musical Comedy by Lew Sully Entitled "FRENZIED FROLICS."
Prices: 10 to 75 cents. Box seats, $1.

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CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE.
Mabel Hite & Mike Donlin, Marshall P. Wilder,
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Seven Pierrots, Belle Ring & Co.,
Rose Bulger, Knight Bros. & Sawtelle,
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LINCOLN CENTENARY

Lincoln the Great-Heart

President Lincoln and his son Thomas, known as "Tad."

No mother ever loved a son more than Lincoln loved the whole nation.

He loved animals. Dozens of stories are told how he rescued dogs, birds, even pigs, from distress when his companions would have passed them by.

He loved children, played with them as one of them—no matter whose children—helped them in their little problems and distresses.

Once, for instance, he saw a little girl all dressed up, but crying bitterly; she was going on a journey, but the man hadn't called for her trunk, and the train was soon due. Lincoln put the trunk on his shoulder, took the little girl by the hand, and got both to the railroad station in time for the train.

He loved the common people and the common soldier. Here is a letter which he found time in the midst of his cares to write to a mother who, as it was then supposed, had lost five sons in battle:

Executive Mansion, Washington, D. C., Nov. 21, 1864.

Mrs. Bixby, Boston, Mass.—Dear Madam: I have been shown in the files of the War Department a statement of the Adjutant General of Massachusetts that you are the mother of five sons who have died gloriously on the field of battle. I feel how weak and fruitless must be any words of mine which should attempt to beguile you from the grief of a loss so overwhelming. But I cannot refrain from tendering to you the consolation that may be found in the thanks of the Republic they died to save. I pray that our Heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of your bereavement, and leave you only the cherished memory of the loved and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom. Yours very sincerely and respectfully,

Abraham Lincoln

He loved his friends and—he loved his enemies.

See The Chicago Tribune of February 7.

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Among the New Books

MR. BELLOC MANAGES TO WRITE CONSIDERABLE UPON "NOTHING."

A Book of Essays Concerning Immaterial Things, which Haunts the Reader's Imagination.

THERE are a good many persons in this world who make a living in spite of themselves; and chief among these semi-vagrants is the reviewer of books. He is a person who couldn't keep from reading if he tried, and who merely takes up reviewing in order to justify his vice to his family, who, naturally, have grown tired of seeing him sitting around with his nose between covers, while every one else is doing something obviously and blatantly worth while.

The only real drawback to reviewing as a profession is that a reviewer is under obligations to write down what he thinks about one book before taking up another; and that his compulsion is made doubly difficult by the fact that he is not really interested in his own opinion, and has a lurking suspicion—which does not always confine itself to lurking, but sometimes swaggers out in the open like a bloodthirsty savage—that nobody else cares either.

Then, worse even than this, is the fact that when a reviewer encounters a new mind, and rests under a happy hypnotism of ideas, he cannot for the life of him, say what he really does think. He doesn't know. He has no focus. He is particularly puzzled when he has enjoyed himself the most. He has no inclination to write. He would rather read the book over again.

How, for example, could any reviewer express an understandable opinion about anything so tentative, illusive, and experimental as Mr. H. Belloc's "ON NOTHING AND KINDRED SUBJECTS"? (E. P. Dutton & Co.) It bears the same relation to literature that a butterfly sucking at a primrose does to industry; and the literary fabric he has produced has as much substantiality as a silver cobweb in which two or three drops of dew have become entangled, causing it to throw up a minute but splendid opalescence when the sun recognized them at the outset of his diurnal tour.

It might be supposed from Mr. Belloc's introduction that he intended to be—or perhaps could not avoid being—profound. "There is in Nothing," he says, "something so majestic and high that it is a fascination and spell to regard it. Is it not that which mankind, after the great effort of life, at last attains, and that which alone can satisfy mankind's desire? Is it not that which is the end of so many generations of analysis? the final philosophy, and the goal of the search for reality? Is it not the very matter of our modern creed in which the great spirits of our time repose, and is it not, as it were, the culmination of their intelligence?"

Obviously, to this we must reply in the affirmative. "Where there is Nothing there is God." Mrs. Eddy says it in Boston, and Mr. Yeats proclaims it in Dublin. Folk have been saying it for ages in India, and now they are beginning to believe it in Indiana. No one probably is sure what he means. First and last, perhaps, he means Nothing. But then, first and last he knows Nothing. Selah!

Having, however, gone but a very little way down the tenebrous path of occultism, Mr. Belloc gets frightened at the gloom, evidently, for he comes running back, laughing, to talk about all manner of immaterial and diverting matters, and it is only once in a while that he seems to look back over his shoulder at the eternal Nothingness, and to speak with a quaver in his tones, as if a recollection of that ultimate blackness had obtruded itself, and the conclusive concept had overtaken his mirth and silenced it.

Mr. Belloc is illusive. Of course there may be other contemporary writers of whom the same thing might be said. Mr. Chesterton, for example, is illusive in the sense that he hits you again before you have time to get on your feet. Mr. Wells is illusive in so much as he is always running on ahead and hiding in places where you have the hardest kind of work to find him. But Mr. Belloc is illusive in the same way that colors are in a bubble or a Liberty scarf. You are almost sure that what he means would be beautiful if only it would hold fast long enough for you to see what it is. Meantime, you are gently fascinated, and you sit watching little happy wonders come and go in much the same spirit in which you would enjoy a sunset; you cannot for the life of you tell where the red leaves off and the purple begins, or at what moment the glory will die out of a cloud and leave it a mere sodden mist.

These essays are such brief things that before you have settled down to one idea the author is offering you another, after the manner of the skillful chef, who allows you no more than a soupçon of each dish, lest satiety so much as hint to you that something else had been better. And really, you are not surprised, when, having offered for your delectation a commendable amount of charming nonsense, Mr. Belloc grows quite serious of a sudden and writes with a sort of naïve piety a chapter entitled "On Coming to an End"—and so brings to its end, felicitously and solemnly, his little book.

That concluding essay is so kind and wise a little piece of thinking, that it seems more than likely it might help any one who was standing dismayed because some beloved companion had come to an end. The law of compensation is a difficult one to learn, but Mr. Belloc knows something of it. This chapter might be of service, too, to one whose end was inevitably near. It might help him to get out of dread into expectancy.

On the whole, Mr. Belloc's book is immaterial, but, like many other immaterial things—the mist about the mountain, the fire in the opal, the half shaped loveliness of things seen in dreams—it haunts the imagination. Those who love the essay at its delicate best will do well to set this little book on their shelves, and to peruse it now and again when the actualities—the apparent actualities—of life appear to be staring them out of countenance. ELIA W. PEATTIE.

A little book, which, like all of Dr. S. Weir Mitchell's work, is a pretty story charmingly told, has been sent into the world to win dollars for the Pennsylvania Children's home. For so the author states in the preface to "AN ADVENTURE IN 1777" (Jacobs), that all the receipts from its sale will be turned over to this home, which does so much for the girls placed in its care, giving them the means whereby they can make their own living, or make a welcome for themselves if homes are found for them. Of the story it is unnecessary to speak at length; it is a story for either children or grown people, written with the author's always facile manner, relating the adventures of some children in that dreadful winter of 1777. The book is attractively printed and illustrated, and should not be long winning dollars for the institution it is sent out to aid.

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MR. MOODY'S NEW DRAMA, "THE FAITH HEALER," AND MR. MAUGHAN'S STORY, "THE MAGICIAN."

Both Play and Book Are "Creepy" and Not at All Like Anything Either Author Has Written Before.

THIS week began in a "creepy" way for me. On Sunday I read advance sheets of Mr. William Vaughan Moody's new play, "The Faith Healer," and on Monday evening I read Mr. W. Somerset Maugham's "The Magician." Let me take them up in order and explain.

By the way, Chicago should be particularly interested in Mr. Moody, for was he not once a professor in her university, and was not his first and famous play, "The Great Divide," given its premier in that city? "The Faith Healer" is not in the least like "The Great Divide," and yet it may have as much of a success. There is no story of love. It is, instead, a story of hypnotic suggestion. When the faith healer feels that he may so far forget himself as to love a young woman, his healing powers desert him.

Since writing "The Great Divide" Mr. Moody has learned much about dramatic construction. "The Faith Healer" might almost have been written by Ibsen, so few are the words, so terse the dialogue, so homely the surroundings. I defy even Kipling to read the play and find one superfluous word. Might not this be Ibsen or even Maeterlinck:

Rhoda—Mrs. Beeler is my aunt.

Littlefield—Well, well. The world is small. Been here long?

Rhoda—Only a month.

Littlefield—And before that?

Rhoda—It's a long story. Besides, you wouldn't understand.

Littlefield—You might let me try. What in the world have you been doing all this time?

Rhoda—I have been searching for something.

Littlefield—What was it?

Rhoda (slowly)—My own lost self. My own—lost—soul.

The whole play is written in this simple, terse English. There are only ten characters in the play and but one scene. The former, with the one exception of Littlefield, are homely people, and the one scene is a homely scene. It all happens in a large, old fashioned room in Matthew Beeler's farmhouse, near a small town in the middle west. Two bedrooms, which are not seen, open off this room. One of these is occupied by Mrs. Beeler, who has been a bed-ridden invalid for years, until the faith healer comes. This latter is Ulrich Michaelis, who, at Mrs. Beeler's request, but to Mr. Beeler's disgust, is staying at the farmhouse. He is a man of 28 or 30, "with emaciated face and abundant hair, worn longer than common. His frame, though slight, is powerful, and his way of handling himself has the freedom and largeness that comes from much open air life. There is, nevertheless, something curiously vague and indecisive in his movements."

He is accompanied on his travels by an Indian boy whom he is supposed to have raised from the dead. He tells Rhoda of some of the things he has seen out upon the mountains and of a voice that he had heard.

Rhoda—What kind of a voice?

Michaelis—The first time it came at night. I was walking on the top of the mountain, in a stony place. It—it was like wind among the stones.

Rhoda—What did it say?

Michaelis—It said, "Prepare! Prepare!"

Rhoda—And the second time?

Michaelis—In the same place at dawn. The voice said, "Go forth; it is finished." I looked around me and saw nothing. It came again, like the wind among the stones, "Go forth; it is begun."

Rhoda—And you obeyed?

Michaelis—I plucked a dry seed pod from the stones and threw the seeds into the air. They drifted north. Then I found a man to take my place and started north, in the direction the seeds had drifted. Three days after I climbed the mesa toward my old home. Above, in the pueblo, I heard the sound of tomtoms and the wailing of squaws. They told me that the young son of the chief lay dead in my father's chapel. I sat beside him all day and all night. Just before daylight— (He breaks off abruptly.)

Rhoda—Go on.

Michaelis—Just before daylight, when the other watchers were asleep, the power of the spirit came strong upon me. I bowed myself upon the boy's body and prayed. My heart burned within me, for I felt his heart begin to beat. His eyes opened. I told him to arise and he arose and was alive again.

This same power is used by Michaelis upon Mrs. Beeler. When he seems to be touched by an earthly love his power goes and she falls back into invalidism, but when he puts this aside and tells Rhoda that it will come "in time. In God's fair time. As the seed bursts, as the bud is opened."

Rhoda—You mean—it is not—too late?

Michaelis—I mean that as you cry to me for help the strength that I have lost pours back into my soul.

A few years ago Mr. Moody's play would not have found a publisher, much less a producer, but now it not only finds a publisher and a producer, but, what is more important from a practical point of view, it will find an audience, and a big one, thanks to Mrs. Eddy, to Dr. Worcester, and to all the other leaders of "movements" who have blazed the trail.

When the play is produced by Mr. Henry Miller's company Mr. Tyrone Power will, I believe, play the part of the faith healer, Michaelis. Just when this will be I do not know. Mr. Moody has taken the unusual course of publishing the play (Houghton-Mifflin) before its production on the stage.

The most unmistakable "creep" that I have had since I was a child was given me by W. Somerset Maugham's new novel, "THE MAGICIAN," advance sheets of which were sent me by the publisher (Duffield).

It was only last week that I saw "Lady Frederick." That the same pen that wrote that most delightful, contemporaneous, and witty comedy as free from "creeps" as a play could be should be the same that wrote "The Magician" seems impossible. Anything more charming than Lady Frederick with Miss Barrymore in the title rôle would be hard to imagine, or anything less morbid and unwholesome. On the other hand, anything more morbid than this "damp, moist, unpleasant" story would be equally hard to imagine.

I am not going to tell the plot of his melodramatic novel, but will only say that this magician, Haddo, was not like Frankenstein, trying to make a human being, but many. He had stolen Arthur Burdon's sweetheart and made a wretch of a young and beautiful woman, and that is why the young physician strangled him to death. I am going to quote one scene and then I have done. Dr. Burdon, Dr. Porhoët, and Susie Boyd go one dark night to the lonesome house away off in the black country inhabited by Oliver Haddo. Margaret, his wife, and Arthur's once sweetheart, is dead. They force an entrance into the house and to the room at the top where Haddo practiced his alchemy. It was hot to suffocation and foul, for every window was hermetically sealed.

They heard "wild gibbering" and unearthly noises and their hearts stood still. The room was filled with large glass vases. Of one Arthur had a feeling that it held the most fearful of these monsters. He drew the cloth away.

"But no sooner had he done this than something sprang up, so that instinctively he started back, and it began to gibber in piercing tones. These were the unearthly sounds that they had heard. It was not a voice, it was a kind of raucous crying, hoarse, yet shrill, uneven, like the barking of a dog, and appalling. The sounds came forth in rapid succession, angrily, as though the being that uttered them sought to express itself in furious words. It was mad with passion and beat against the glass walls of its prison with clinched fists. For the hands were human hands and the body, though much larger, was of the shape of a new born child. The creature must have stood about four feet high. The head was horribly misshapen. The skull was enormous, smooth, and distended like that of a hydrocephalic, and the forehead protruded over the face hideously. The features were almost unformed, preternaturally small, under the great overhanging brow, and they had an expression of fiendish malignity. The tiny misshapen countenance writhed with convulsive fury, and from the mouth poured out a foaming spume. It raised its voice higher and higher, shrieking senseless gibberish in its rage. Then began to hurl its whole body madly against the glass walls and to beat its head. It appeared to have a sudden, incomprehensible hatred of the three strangers. It was trying to fly at them. The toothless gums moved spasmodically, and it threw its face into horrible grimaces.

Do you wonder that I believe there are two W. Somerset Maughams? I should think the one that wrote "Lady Frederick" and "Jack Straw" would hurry off to see these plays and try to forget that he ever wrote "The Magician."

JEANNETTE L. GILDER.

Ralph D. Paine's new story, "THE STROKE OAR" (Outing Publishing company), is a great college story, that is, it is full of the college spirit, its characters are easily to be recognized as college men, though it might be doubted if the incidents that kept the hero from the scene of training for the Yale boat race could have been possible anywhere but in a novelist's brain. For the young man in question, the stroke oar in the Yale crew and the finest rower of the crew, left the college in a moment of pique, went to New York after a deserting comrade, and boarded a ship which by mistake failed to put him off before it was too late. Though out in midocean the boy's heart is still with his college, and he seeks the position of stoker to keep his muscles in trim. But chance again plays with him and puts him on board a slow German boat, whose crew he trains to win a race when the vessel reaches Hamburg. From Hamburg he returns to Yale, where, after giving proof that he is in trim, there is yet time for him to take his part in the race. It is a story of almost breathless interest, and the better kind of college spirit fills its pages. The manliness of the American youth is ably characterized; they are still young and human, quick to speak, quick to regret a hasty word, and ready to make amends, but filled with the spirit of life, enthusiasm, and loyalty. There can be no doubt that this book pictures the best kind of men that make up our colleges and the most healthful kind of life there.

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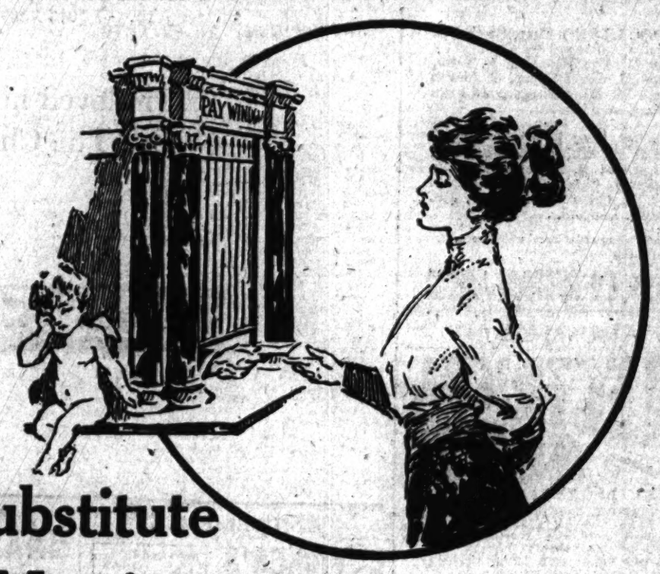

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BY HARVEY T. WOODRUFF.

Chicago's sporting public had a taste of the professional Marathon race thing at Dexter Park pavilion last night. It was more than a taste, in fact—it was a swallow. The dear, kind public gulped and took its little medicine, for Dorando Pietri so far outran and outclassed A. L. Corey of this city that the affair bore little semblance to a contest. The winner's time was 2:56:00 2-5, slow for the distance. Yet the public seemed to enjoy it.

As the little Italian who ran second to Hayes, the American, in the Olympic Marathon at London sprinted the last mile of the 26 miles 385 yards journey Corey had completed only 18 miles and seven laps. Trouble with his shoes, or his courage, or something, had put him practically out of the running in the third mile.

Yet the kind, indulgent sporting public, which likes to be amused, was not angry. The affair became humorous. Probably an event with evenly matched men would draw as even better house in the future, for Marathon racing has a few thrills, at any rate. On the surface of things there was nothing to indicate any cheating on the part of those in charge, and the argument is logical that had there been Corey would have made a better showing.

Promoters Provide Part of Comedy.

The efforts to keep Corey at his distasteful task were funny at times, and the attempts of Promoters Jimmy Callahan and Lou Houseman to inspire courage in the Frenchman were not the least amusing part of the program. Johnny Hayes was present and challenged the winner.

It may be unfair to Corey to accuse him of a streak of yellow. He made the pace for over two miles. Then he had trouble with his shoe, and Pietri gained a big lead. After that it appeared as if Corey lost heart when he found he could not follow the fast early pace of his opponent. But he stuck to the end under constant urging, running part of the time in his bare feet. Two physicians examined him during the race. One could find nothing wrong with the ankle of which he complained. Another said he had strained an arch in his foot.

Dorando appeared under a guarantee with privilege of percentage which netted him probably $1,000 or more. Corey was running for $500, "win, lose, or draw."

No Profit for Promoters.

If it cost $4,000 to put on the race, as was estimated in advance, it is doubtful whether the promoters broke as well as even. Allowing for the size of the pavilion in which an ordinary crowd is lost, possibly 4,000 persons were present when Starter William Hale Thompson fired the shot which sent the runners on their long grind.

Most of the spectators inclined to the 50 cent arena in the center of the track with a sprinkling in the $5 box seats and a fair representation in the $2 and $3 sections.

Dorando and Corey came upon the tanbark track and posed for a picture before the real business began. The Italian was attired in the usual sleeveless track shirt and red running trunks with brown socks within his running shoes. Corey wore a white shirt and trunks with a stars and stripes shield, signifying his new American citizenship, across the chest. Both carried cork handgrips.

Allows Corey to Set Pace.

Pietri allowed Corey to go out and set an easy pace, which he was content to follow. The first mile being traveled in 6:15 4-5. Thus they pedaled for two miles and five laps, when Corey's right shoe went wrong.

Seeing his advantage, the Italian sprinted for a lap and then settled to his usual stride, while Corey fretted and fumed as his handlers adjusted another shoe. The mishap cost the Frenchman more than two and a half laps.

With this margin in his favor Pietri began to hit up the pace—that is, as compared with Corey, who had slowed up after his pacemaking miles. The Italian was speeding little faster than the rate at which he started. Dorando's tactics were to sport away from his opponent, who made no effort to meet the increased speed, and gain part of the lap. He then would cut down the distance until he had gained a full lap, one-twelfth of a mile, and was again trailing Corey.

Five Miles Run in 30:51.

Dorando's sprints usually gained his lap in four or five times around and he rested behind Corey's pace apparently content to gain about one lap in each mile. At the end of the five miles, run in 30:51, Dorando had a margin of nearly eight laps.

In the second block of five miles Dorando continued to show his superiority and it soon became apparent that, barring the "rawest" kind of accident, the Italian would be an easy victor. At seven miles Dorando was ten laps to the good, and soon he had clipped off eight miles and ten laps Corey was a full mile behind.

The little visitor from Italy barely was perspiring, while the Frenchman had appeared to be a free but not heavy body moisture from the third mile on. Twice again during this second block of five miles Corey stopped to have his shoe fixed, and finally discarded his sock. At the end of ten miles Corey was nearly one and one-half miles behind. The time for this distance was 1:46:16.

Corey Seeks Sweet Rest.

Shortly before he had completed ten miles Corey once stopped and this time sought a chair, while his handler chafed his limbs. It looked as if the Frenchman had had enough, but Jimmy Callahan rushed to the scene and gesticulated wildly in remonstrance. Promoter Lou Houseman rushed over to the group and shouted:

"You don't get a cent if you quit."

This prospective loser of $500 spurred on the tired Corey. But if his heart was right it was scarcely in his running thereafter. As a cold matter of fact, however, Fred Potthast, said to be a friend of Corey, had taken the precaution to go out and secure a certified check in the afternoon, so perhaps Corey did not worry as much as if he had not a pretty fair grip on the money.

Spurts for His Own Amusement.

The Italian was in the height of good humor, smiling and bowing to his countrymen and the spectators banked along the side of the track. He at first attempted to give the spectators a "run for their money" by frequent spurts, which drew enthusiastic applause, despite the unevenness of the contest.

Corey was running on sufferance, and the efforts of Callahan and Houseman to keep him going were an amusing feature. The sturdy Lou even pushed him for a half lap, and was all in from his exertion. Brother Ulpiano was fairly frantic with delight at the easy victory of his charge, and administered the information that Dorando was drinking a few swallows of coffee, it being the first thing he ever had taken any internal nourishment during a race.

The pace by this time had degenerated into a farce so far as Corey was concerned, and the only efforts were to keep Corey from quitting. The Frenchman was complaining of bad ankles, and Dr. D. McGregor was called from the crowd to make examination. The doctor pronounced his ailment nothing more serious than an acute attack of "cold feet."

EXCITING MOMENTS—"TRYING TO BREAK AWAY"—KELLY POOL.

WALSH TO COACH AT YALE

Sox Star Will Drill the Blue Pitching Candidates.

DOES NOT INTEND TO "QUIT."

Will Join South Side Team After Training Season.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Ed Walsh, the Chicago American league pitcher, today came to an informal agreement with the Yale baseball management about coaching pitchers for the season.

He did not sign a contract, but is expected to do so tomorrow, when Fred Murphy, the Yale baseball captain, returns to the city. Negotiations were on with Tom Tuckey, the Boston National league pitcher, and Walsh. Tuckey is obliged to report before Walsh, which turned the tide in favor of the Chicago player, who says he will not begin work when the other White Sox report.

Walsh is spending the winter at his home in Meriden. The Yale battery candidates already have begun work and Walsh is likely to take charge of them on Monday. He looked them over in the gymnasium today and was delighted with the looks of two six footers, who, he said, were natural pitchers.

Barney Reilly, the Yale freshman captain of last year and recently signed as shortstop for the Chicago Americans, is a Yale sophomore and will work out with the Yale candidates this spring.

OWEN HAS CONTRITE HEART.

Sox Pitcher Makes Application to National Commission for Reinstatement—Will Get Usual Fine.

The application for reinstatement of Frank "Yip" Owen has reached the national commission and soon will be acted on, as have those of the other Sox who disobeyed baseball law by playing against Jimmy Callahan's club last fall.

Owen will be reinstated, fined $200, with a rebate of $150, and then will be at liberty to sign up for the season. "Yip" is the last of the suspended players to apply.

President Murphy of the Cubs yesterday received a letter from Floyd Kroh, the young left handed pitcher who joined the champions late last season. The letter was purely personal and did not concern the youth's contract.

Adolph Comiskey was relieved yesterday morning to find that Jimmy McAleer had left the city without taking the whole Sox ball club with him. Jimmy went to his home in Youngstown, O.

FRED MERKLE SIGNS CONTRACT.

Player Whose Failure to Touch Second Cost New York the Pennant Gets Increase in Salary.

Toledo, O., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Fred Merkle, the Toledo member of the New York Giants, whose failure to touch second base lost the Giants the pennant and possibly the world's championship last season, today signed a contract for another year with the New York club at a handsome increase in salary. In his letter McGraw said he expects great things of Merkle the coming season, and declared his fine work in 1908 entitled him to the raise in salary. Merkle will continue to play the utility role for the Giants. He now is training at the local Y. M. C. A., and says he already is in first class condition.

Tom Murrays Beat Ravenswoods.

The Tom Murrays defeated the Ravenswood at Arlington hall last night, 10 to 5. Score:

Tom Murrays	1	0	0	5	2	2	1	*	—	10
Ravenswoods	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	—	5

Batteries—Carey and Powers. Dillon and Manton.

AUSTRALIAN TEAM ON WAY HERE

Rugby Football Players from Antipodes Sail from London to Fill Dates in the United States.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—The members of the Australian Rugby football team have sailed for New York on the steamer Arabic.

WESTON PLANS WALK TO COAST

Veteran Pedestrian to Celebrate His Seventieth Birthday by Starting on Hike from New York to Frisco.

New York, Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Edward Payson Weston, veteran long distance walker, has announced his plans for what will be the culminating athletic feat of his career—a walk across the continent to San Francisco, to be accomplished, according to his schedule, in 100 days. The distance, as he estimates the route he will be obliged to take, is about 4,000 miles. Weston will celebrate the seventieth anniversary of his birth on March 15 by starting on the New York to San Francisco walk that day.

NOTES OF THE SKATERS.

The western outdoor championship skating races that were to be held at Milwaukee, Wis., today and tomorrow have been postponed on account of the warm weather.

Alfie Moore, the world's professional roller champion, is to skate in two events at the Edgewater rink on Wednesday night. Moore is to skate a half mile exhibition and a mile match with Joe Munch, the Minneapolis skater.

Adolph Anderson, the present western champion, and Harry Kaad, Illinois champion, will leave for Cleveland tonight, where they can have the privilege of skating on artificial ice and get themselves in condition for the races Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Charles T. Fisher of Milwaukee, champion of Wisconsin, will go east on the circuit in Carl Ahlroth's place.

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS.

BY HEK.

SPEIRIN' O' THE WEATHER.

The links they are muddy,
An' the ice is melted, too.
And the gowfin' curlin' body
Has naethin' left to do
But dawdle wi' the shuffleboard—
That's a' that's left the noo.
We mecht as weel be stranded i' the tropics.

Gin a Scot maun tak his comfort
Wi'out the curlin' stane,
The niblick an' the brassie,
His life becomes inane.
For when frae him the benspiel
And the puttin' green is taen
His pleasure is reduced to microscopics.

Jack Curley has returned from Kansas City with an excellent impression of that place. Nine thousand dollars' worth of people recently attended a wrestling match in which he was interested out there. They are not quite as industrious on the knocking lay in Kansas City as they are here, he says. Wonder what he means.

The anti-racetrack bill in California is still leading and giving out no hope of backing up.

Herr John W. Barth writes us that if Americans would take a few lessons in skat they would soon forget about bridge, with all of its stilted vocabulary. Herr Barth is quite convinced that skat is the apotheosis of card playing.

Col. James A. Hart, former president of the Chicago National league club and franchise, is sailing for Europe supremely happy in the thought that he sloughed nothing that he does not feel himself better without. We have his word for it.

And they are still getting away with it in Algiers.

Canada, which thinks a lot of its own, is now devising a bulkhead to keep out undesirable and discredited turfmen who threaten to swarm upon it from this side of the line.

THE ROUGH TOSS PHILOSOPHER.

It has taken a thousand years to demonstrate that some horses can run faster than others, and they are still puzzling over it.

The person who paid $4,000 for an automobile two years ago and is still using it has to take the side streets to duck the impression that he is not as prosperous as he used to be.

It has been demonstrated that a man can run twenty-five miles in two hours and forty-five minutes at the expenditure of five years of his natural life. It also has been demonstrated that he can ride the same distance in a trolley car in one hour flat at the expenditure of a mere nickel. Choose ye this day which form of transportation is best for you.

To lose is to gamble; to win is to speculate.

To be successful means to take a walching chance and get away with it.

Any kind of an excuse goes if it is properly illustrated.

It is pleasant to be spoken fairly in death, but they stop sending you the paper when they see your name in the obituary column.

A game man will do anything once, but he will go against it indefinitely if he makes the right guess the first time.

They always leave it up to the man who takes the short change to count his money.

The essential part of "system" is taking advantage of the absentmindedness of the customer.

Any young man who is industrious and saving can get along as long as his health holds out, but when he breaks his leg he is broke.

It isn't those you see earning it that get it.

You don't have to guess right very often when you have 12½ per cent in your favor.

Cents make dollars, but the dollars have to make something else. Otherwise you will chide yourself for losing time.

A poor man suffers as much from dyspepsia as the rich man, but he hasn't to stand for so much bunk.

The more you win the more you stand to lose.

MAROONS AND PURDUE TONIGHT

Midway Basketball Five, Strengthened by Return of Page, Hopes to Trim Boilermakers.

Capt. Georgen will lead his Maroon basketball five in its second intercollegiate game of the season against the Purdue aggregation at Bartels gymnasium tonight. The Boilermakers are reported as particularly strong this season and already have defeated Wisconsin and Indiana.

The addition of Page, who was out of the Indiana contest a week ago on account of a broken nose, is expected to strengthen the Midway team, and the rooters are hopeful of securing the verdict over the Hoosiers, who appear to be one of the leading aspirants for the championship.

Coach Stagg announced yesterday he would enter a full team in next Saturday's First regiment track meet. Following are the Maroon entries:

40 yard dash—Lewis, Tatarsky, Kuh, Bauman, Straube, Earle, Sturgeon, Timblin, Lingle, Kelley, Shuart.

Hurdles—Pegues, Sunderland, Lorens, Menaul, Leach, Bauman.

Shotput—Kelley, Menaul, Gerend, Rademacher, Davenport, Prather.

High jump—Angerson, Menaul.

Pole vault—Jacobs, Hopkins.

Davenport, the Maroon freshman quarter miler, broke the freshman record for three laps on the Bartlett "gym" track yesterday afternoon in a respective sprint, running over the distance in 0:39 4-5. Menaul, the all around star, finished just one-fifth of a second behind the leader. The record for the three laps, 0:40 2-5, is held by Merriam.

I. A. C. IN DUAL MEET TONIGHT.

Local Swimmers to Compete with Missouri Athletic Club Team in St. Louis Tank.

The Illinois Athletic club's swimming and water polo teams left for St. Louis last night, where they will engage in a dual battle with the Missouri Athletic club squad tonight. This meet is the first of a series of dual affairs between the two clubs the second meet to be held in the I. A. C. pool on Feb. 13.

The I. A. C. swimmers who made the trip were William Young, Harry J. Hebner, R. J. Hughes, R. E. Frisele, Charles L. Brown, and Perry McGillivray. Hebner, who defeated Marc Schwartz of the Mound City club in the last dual meet, will compete in the 100 yard event and the relay race. Frisele will be in the relay and fancy diving; McGillivray, the 16 year old Crane High school boy, will swim in the fifty yard event and the relay race, and Handy will compete against Champion Gosselling in the back stroke and breast stroke races. Charles L. Brown, the American champion plunger, will try to break his own record of 74 feet in the plunge.

The polo squad, which never has been defeated by Missouri, is composed of Jaeger, captain; Jensen, right forward; Wilson, left forward; Johnson, half back; Alex Gasperik, left goal; George De Mar, right goal; and Walsh substitute. The team is in charge of Coach Frank J. Sullivan.

Dartmouth and Princeton Nov. 6.

Hanover, N. H., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Dartmouth is to play Princeton at Princeton Nov. 6, having turned down the Carlisle Indians.

Soccer Notes.

A meeting of the Peel cup committee will be held tomorrow night to formulate rules for the competition.

The new Celtic soccer team will play the West Side Rangers at California avenue and Fillmore street tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

At the Billiard Halls.

At Hick's—Wiltsine defeated Buck by 125 to 85.

At Mussey's—Austin [42] beat Alexander [40] at three cushions, 45 to 40.

At Foley's—Van Westen [167] won from Brown [325] at 18-2 balk line, 100 to 106.

At Bensinger's—Phipps [175] defeated Mace [1730], 125 to 118. Tonight Clober and Senf.

At Hemmers—Hueston scored 125 balls while Patterson was counting 118 in their pool match.

SCRAPPY GAME AT EVANSTON.

Purdue Five Defeats Northwestern Basketball Team, 23-13, in Contest Marred by Ill Feeling.

Rough playing marked the basketball game played by Purdue and Northwestern last night at Evanston, the Boilermakers winning, 23 to 13.

Trouble started when the Purdue players, understanding the game was to be played in the Evanston Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, went there and waited for half an hour before they learned the mistake. When the visitors reached the university gymnasium they objected to Reynolds, the Y. M. C. A. official, as referee because of the report of his allowing rough playing in the recent Northwestern-Indiana game.

At the end of the first half the score was 17 to 6 in favor of Purdue. Northwestern scored but one field goal. Bowman of Purdue sustained a broken nose in the second half. Lineup:

Northwestern [13].		Purdue [23].
Ross	Right forward	Bowman.
		Marshall
Wessling	Left forward	Lewis
Culbertson	Center	Chartiers
Herron	Right guard	Knox
Swift	Left guard	Westover

Field goals—Wessling, Bowman, Lewis [3], Chartiers [3]. Free throws—Ross [11], Chartiers [9]. Referee—Reynolds.

Gophers Win by Great Spurt.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—By a great spurt during the last few minutes of play the University of Minnesota basketball team pulled out a victory tonight over the fast Illinois five. Score, 18 to 17. The clever work of Hanson and Anderson in shooting baskets won the game. Popperfus starred for the visitors. Lineup:

Minnesota [18].		Illinois [17].
Anderson	Right forward	Watson
Hanson	Left forward	Popperfus
Mencks	Center	Posten
Blanchette	Right guard	Thompson
Rosenwold	Left guard	Bernstein

Baskets—Hanson [3], Anderson [2], Mencks, Watson [2], Popperfus [4], Bernstein. Free throws—Hanson [3], Anderson [3], Popperfus [3].

I. A. C. Five Wins at Peoria.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—The Illinois Athletic club five defeated the Peoria Y. M. C. A. tonight at basketball in a fast contest, 45 to 35. Lineup:

I. A. C. [45].		Peoria [35].
Huber	Right forward	Burkhardt
Brooks	Left forward	Conway
Palmer	Center	Rutherford
Aurand	Right guard	Becker
Hillig	Left guard	Kuhl, Forrest

Baskets—Aurand [4], Brooks [4], Huber [3], Palmer, Hillig, Burkhardt [3], Conway [4], Rutherford [4], Becker. Free throws—Aurand [10], Conway [7]. Referee—Cushing.

Central "Y" to Play at Evanston.

The Central Y. M. C. A. basketball champions will play Y. M. C. A. a league game at Evanston tonight, while Hyde Park will meet the Oak Park team in the latter's gymnasium.

GAMES IN BOWLING LEAGUES.

COLUMBIAN KNIGHTS.

Pinson	950	939	886	Ravenswd	924	828	876
Kittyrina	837	824	878	Dyspepsia	888	826	1067
Douglas	812	868	770	Unity	850	856	902

PHOENIX.

Buckets	867	901	980	Andersons	876	864	940
Woodlawns	921	828	922	Bucks	907	922	904
Lee's Roy's	870	854	872	Kenwoods	813	874	855

LINCOLN.

Cooleys	870	982	1006	Petersons	934	945	1021
				Boseland.			
Old Styles	1092	978	896	Peerless	894	829	870

Milwaukee Fight Lid Off.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—The fight lid here has been lifted and a good card is announced for Jan. 27, Bob Mohs and "Blink" McCloskey being billed for the windup.

Nitchie and Langdon Draw.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—"Young" Nitchie and Tommy Langdon drew in a six round bout at the Nonpareil A. C. tonight.

CALUMET FIVE IS VICTOR

Oak Park Outclassed in Fourth Round of High School Finals.

SOUTHERNERS WIN, 36 TO 17.

Englewood Trims Lane in Class B Contest and Captures Series.

Standing of the Teams.

CLASS A.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Lake View	1	0	1.000	Lake	1	1	.500
Calumet	2	1	.667	Oak Park	0	2	.000

CLASS B.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Englewood	2	0	1.000	Hyde Park	0	1	.000
Lane	1	1	.500	La Grange	0	2	.000

Games Today.

Lake View vs. Lake; Hyde Park vs. La Grange.

Calumet outclassed Oak Park in the fourth round of the High School Basketball league finals at the Central Y. M. C. A. gymnasium yesterday afternoon, and the champions of the western section were trimmed, 36 to 17. Englewood defeated Lane in the class B contest, 35 to 24, the game making the third consecutive win for the south siders.

Calumet commenced scoring in the first minute of play, a field goal by Ball starting the southerners on their road to victory. Rich and Cherry worked as a fast combination with their little right forward, Ball, and Calumet had many more open shots than the western team. Griffith and Drew were all over their opposing forwards at all times, and the latter secured only one field basket on a long shot by Herron.

Calumet Leads at Interval.

At half time Calumet led, 14 to 8, and Oak Park's chances practically were gone. The yellow garbed players were unable to come back strong in the last twenty minutes, and Calumet rapidly piled up its score. Griffith and Cherry made several rushes through the Oak Parkers, and their efforts generally ended in scores, with the result that Oak Park was overwhelmed. Lineup:

Calumet [36].		Oak Park [17].
Ball	Right forward	Russell
Cherry	Left forward	Herron
Rich	Center	Riedel, Kiel
Griffith	Left guard	Taylor
Drew	Right guard	McKay

Baskets—Ball [3], Cherry [5], Rich [2], Griffith [6], Herron, Riedel. Free throws—Ball [6], Herron [12]. Points awarded—Oak Park, 1. Referee—Mitchell. Umpire—Simmons. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Title to Evanston Academy.

Evanston academy basketball team won the championship of the northern suburb yesterday at the Evanston Y. M. C. A. by defeating Evanston High school, 18 to 15. The contest was close all the way, and the high school team gave its opponent a hard battle in the last half in a fruitless endeavor to cut down a lead of two gained by the academicians during the first twenty minutes of play. Lineup:

Evanston Academy [18].		Evanston High [15].
Burdick	Right forward	Kimbark, Cobb
Lamke	Left forward	Hall
Scanlon	Center	Heath
Johnson	Left guard	Hess
Crane	Right guard	Comstock

Baskets—Burdick [5], Lamke [2], Scanlon [1], Heath [4], Comstock [1]. Free throws—Lamke [6], Kimbark [6]. Points awarded—High school, 3. Referee—Baker. Umpire—De Kriut. Time of halves—20 minutes.

FIRST BLOOD FOR MUSCATINE.

Soldiers Take Opening Game of Series with West Side Y. M. C. A. Basketball Team, 34 to 28.

Muscatine, Ia., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—In the first game of their series Company C defeated the West Side Y. M. C. A. of Chicago tonight, 34 to 28. The game was one of the most spectacular ever seen in the city. The locals secured a big lead at the start and maintained it. The score at the end of the first half was 16 to 13. Asthalter was star, securing nine field goals. Lineup:

Muscatine [34].		West Side [28].
Volgter	Right field	Tatch
Fuller	Left field	Davis
Asthalter	Center	Aldous
Hayes	Right guard	Wilson, Reddington
Fifer	Left guard	Mitchell

Field goals—Tatch [2], Davis, Aldous [5], Wilson, Mitchell, Reddington [3], Volgter [2], Fuller, Asthalter [9], Hayes, Fifer. Free throws—Davis [4], Fifer [6].

Armour Five Downs De Paul.

Armour institute five defeated De Paul university five at the south side gymnasium yesterday afternoon, 35 to 13. Play was fast. Urson and Wathier starring for their respective sides. Lineup:

Armour [35].		De Paul [13].
Urson	Right forward	Wathier
Eliel, Vyane	Left forward	McCarthy
Chesey	Center	Willhoit
Beckman		
Kenzie	Right guard	Fox
Beach, Bristol	Left guard	Sweeney

Baskets—Urson [3], Beckman [4], Eliel [3], Cheney [3], Beach, Vyane, Wilhoit [2], Wathier [2], Fox. McCarthy. Free throws—Chesey [5], Wathier [5]. Points awarded—Armour, 2. Referee—McCrady. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Horace Egbert Dies on Coast.

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 22.—Horace Egbert, a turf writer and racetrack handicapper, died at his home here.

STOPS RACING AT ALGIERS

Gov. Sanders Compels Sheriff Marrero to Act.

BOOKMAKERS ARE ARRESTED

Resumption of Meeting Will Depend on Outcome of Trial.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Gov. Sanders today took a hand in the racing situation in Jefferson parish across the river from New Orleans, and as a result racing stopped at Suburban track after the third race today. Jack Sheehan, a bookmaker of Memphis, and William Ralston, "Six Shooter Bill," and his clerk were arrested for violation of the Locke anti-race gambling law.

The only announcement made at the track was "racing suspended until Monday." Gov. Sanders' intervention created a sensation. He wrote Sheriff Marrero of Jefferson some days ago to investigate the racing situation there and enforce the Locke law. Apparently little attention was paid to the communication, as racing continued uninterruptedly.

After a consultation with the adjutant general of the state Gov. Sanders wired Sheriff Marrero this morning: "If gambling upon the result of the races run on the Suburban track situated at Jefferson parish in violation of act 97 of 1908, is permitted to continue as it has for the last week, and if gambling houses situated in Southport are permitted to run as they have in the past, I will take immediate steps to stop same."

It was intimated the militia would be called out.

Haven for Gamblers.

Jefferson is the champion law evading parish of the state. It is known commonly as the free state and gambling has been rampant there for years. Lottery, keno, and all other forms of gambling prohibited by state laws are permitted to operate there, the parish being practically in control of the Marrero family, wealthy and influential politicians, who have held absolute sway over the territory for years. They are so strong politically that governors have been timid about calling them to terms. Gov. Sanders' action, therefore, surprised many people.

Racing supporters deny they are violating the Locke law. Their case will be heard Monday, and if the decision is in their favor racing will be resumed immediately. The men arrested today are charged with operating a book in violation of the law.

Odds-On Favorite Wins.

Before the racing was stopped Topsy Robinson, an odds on, won the feature without the least bit of trouble. Otherwise the card was an ordinary one. Summaries:

First race, ¾ mile—Haughty, 107 [Pickens], 3 to 1, won; Dr. Nash, 109 [T. Burns], 12 to 1, second; Kiamesha, 112 [Pendergast], 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:19. Hiram and M. J. Whelan ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—Una, 100½ [Franklin], 2 to 1, won; Billy Strong, 102 [J. Reid], 7 to 2, second; Tapioca, 94 [Pims], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:06 1-5. Agnetus, Pattie, Pirate, Profitable, Dorothy M. ran.

Third race, 11-16 mile—Topsy Robinson, 109 [J. Conley], 7 to 10, won; Pat Ornus, 99 [Pims], 15 to 1, second; Ed Tracy, 100 [Franklin], 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:11 3-5. Dick Rose ran.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Hollow, 109 [Pickens], won; Alamo, 107 [Strang], second; Blue Dan, 104 [T. Burns], third. Time, 1:05 1-5. Lady Bateman, Baby P., and Coman ran. No betting was allowed.

MONTANA SENATE IN NO HURRY.

Body Delays Action on Bill Prohibiting Poolrooms and Bookmaking After Adopting Recommendation.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 22.—The senate today indefinitely postponed a bill prohibiting poolrooms and bookmaking. The report of the committee recommending this step was adopted without a dissenting vote.

TRACKS GIVEN ANOTHER BLOW.

Motion to Reconsider Anti-Racing Bill in California Lower House Lost—Now Up to the Senate.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 22.—The motion to reconsider yesterday's vote, by which the anti-racetrack bill passed the assembly by 67 to 10, was lost this afternoon by a vote of 57 to 19. This finally disposed of the bill in the assembly. A similar bill will now be introduced in the senate.

SERENADE IS FIRST TO WIRE.

Captures Coombs Handicap at Oakland by Good Finish—Fanatic Second and Blameless Third.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 22.—The Coombs handicap was the feature of an ordinary card at Oakland today. It was at five furlongs for 3 year olds and Blameless ruled favorite. After racing with Fanatic, the second choice, he tired and Serenade, coming with a rush, won cleverly. Fanatic beat Blameless for the place. In a close finish Mr. Avon beat Billy Myer in the fifth race. Senator Beckham, the favorite, was third. Summaries:

First race, Futurity course—Semper Fidelis, 103 [Van Dusen], 6 to 1, won; Dramonor, 106 [Williams], 14 to 5, second; Rose Kismet, 109 [McLaughlin], 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 2-5. Angel Face, Lochinvar, Myrtle Hynes, Colonel Cosby, Seat, Sib C., Col. Hackett, Ponsdeck, and Cara Mia ran.

Second race, 7-16 mile—Gonis, 108 [Mentry], 13 to 5, won; Old Mexico, 116 [Gilbert], 9 to 5, second; Indian Maid, 109 [Lee], 11 to 5, third. Time, 0:29 2-5. Tourist Belle, The King, Wichat, Endure, Woolton, and Amelia Jones ran.

Third race, Futurity course—Rush Money, 111 [Mentry], 6 to 1, won; Grey Dawn, 111 [McCarthy], 11 to 5, second; Cayenne Cora, 109 [Goldstein], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:16. Coppers, Banridge, Queen Bessie, Tom Sam, and Bergell ran.

Fourth race, ¾ mile, Combs handicap—Serenade, 96 [Deverich], 4 to 1, won; Fanatic, 98 [Taplin], 9 to 5, second; Blameless, 95 [Upton], even, third. Time, 1:08 2-5. John St., Clair ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—St. Avon, 118 [Gilbert], 13 to 1, won; Billy Myer, 107 [Keogh], 28 to 5, second; Senator Beckham, 102 [Taplin], 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:50 2-5. Aunt Rose, Expectant, Sam Gill, and Sainsaw ran.

Sixth race, Futurity course—Footloose, 100 [Taplin], 17 to 10, won; Incentive, 106 [Scoville], 15 to 1, second; David Warfield, 105 [McCarthy], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 2-5. Matchtulla, Takiana Belle, Marchesa, Birth, Belle Thorpe, Air, J. F. Daly, and Miss Polly ran.

RESULTS AT LOS ANGELES.

First race, ¾ mile—John A., 112 [Brooks], 8 to 1, won; Lawton Virginia, 112 [Archibald], 15 to 20, second; Galts, 112 [Putnell], 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 2-5. Yoring Solus, Uncle Jim, and Guise ran.

Second race, 11-16 mile, selling—Lady Irma, 109 [Shilling], 7 to 10, won; Maid of Gotham, 105 [Page], 30 to 1, second; Procia, 106 [McGee], 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:09 1-5. Lackville, Annie Wells, Glenart, Balerian, Miss Naomi, Vibrate, and Bold ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Barney Oldfield, 106 [Archibald], 18 to 5, won; Orifiamb, 108 [Wilson], 12 to 1, second; Earl Rogers, 106 [Clark], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:25 2-5. Tim O'Toole, Dad Embry, Charley Fair, Paine, Whidden, Taunt, Financier, Pickaway, and Arragon ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Summer Cloud, 110 [Harris], 11 to 5, won; Tavora, 110 [King], 4 to 1, second; Chippewa, 109 [Rice], 9 to 10, third. Time, 1:45. Paul L. ran.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—Donald MacDonald, 104 [Shilling], 11 to 5, won; Josie S., 117 [Page], 6 to 1, second; Little Fluet, 106 [Buttwell], 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:29 4-5. Allen

TRADE ACTIVITY KEEPS UP WELL.

Sustained Gains in Payments Through Banks Are Reported by Dun & Co.

PRICES OF GRAIN HIGHER.

Earnings of Some of the Chicago Steam Roads Exceed Those of Last Year.

In its weekly review of Chicago trade Dun's Review, published by R. G. Dun & Co., will say in today's issue:

"Sustained gains in payments through the banks and a low commercial mortality add further testimony to improved conditions. Despite the unfavorable weather, trade activity reflects healthy progress, leading distributive branches showing a seasonable volume and forwarding of general merchandise increasing in response to numerous requests for prompt deliveries.

"Farm products show heavier marketings, together with larger outgo of breadstuffs. A shortage of hogs received, adversely affects the live stock aggregate, and prices of the principal cereals and provisions average higher, those of hog product recording sharp advances. Factory outputs contribute more tonnage for transportation and movements of raw materials run closer to normal.

"Earnings of the Chicago steam roads steadily recover and to some extent exceed those at this time last year. Railroad managers give more attention to equipment needs and track plans, while estimating rooms have much work on extensions and bridge building to be started soon.

Wholesale Trade Is Good.

"Wholesale trade in the necessaries maintains the recent advance. Reassortment orders are frequent for the interior, the demand being notably good also in spring and summer wares. Favorable comparisons with a year ago appear in textiles, home needs, footwear, and hardware, and the curtailment is less in clothing, food products, and furniture. Dry goods stocks here are drawn upon quicker than was expected, and rising prices and scarcity in some lines caused difficulty in obtaining ample supplies.

"Mercantile collections indicate easy financial conditions among country merchants. The local money market exhibits an easier tone, bank deposits being at the highest level and the offerings of desirable commercial paper short of the demand.

"Iron, steel, leather, and wood working industries disclose no strikingly large contracts, but there is a steady flow of orders which improves the outlook. Production is drawing more upon capacity and the idle workers show reduced numbers in manufacturing.

Increased Movement of Grain.

"The total movement of grain at this port, 28,471,599 bushels, compares with 6,546,144 bushels last week and 9,421,223 bushels in 1908. Compared with this week last year there is a decrease in receipts of 26.9 per cent and an increase in shipments of 23.2 per cent. Flour receipts were 174,864 barrels, against 145,070 barrels last week and 193,622 barrels a year ago, and the shipments were 138,576 barrels, against 104,728 barrels last week and 127,806 barrels in 1908. Live stock receipts, 240,166 head, compared with 389,384 head last week and 394,358 head a year ago. Receipts of hides were 3,349,810 pounds, against 2,650,745 pounds last week and 2,712,519 pounds in 1908. Wool receipts, 226,617 pounds, compare with 969,625 pounds last week and 108,500 pounds a year ago. Lumber receipts were 35,780,000 feet, against 29,830,000 feet last week and 20,164,000 feet last year.

"Compared with the closings a week ago, cash prices are unchanged in flour, but lower in sheep, 20 cents a hundredweight; and choice cattle 30 cents a hundredweight; and higher in oats, ¼ cent a bushel; corn, ¾ cent; wheat, 2¼ cents; hogs, 5 cents a hundredweights; ribs, 15 cents; lard, 17½ cents per tierce; and pork, 37½ cents a barrel.

"Bank clearings, $271,402,143, exceed those of the corresponding week in 1908 by 18 per cent and compare with $281,305,095 in 1907.

"Failures reported in the Chicago district number 23, against 36 last week, 30 in 1908, and 24 in 1907. Those with liabilities over $5,000 number 7, against 10 last week, 16 in 1908, and 8 in 1907."

Business Expands Slowly.

New York, Jan. 22.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"Trade is expanding slowly but steadily. Wholesale and jobbing lines noting some good orders for immediate delivery and rather more confidence in placing orders for spring. Conservatism is, however, noted in many sections and some markets report a feeling of disappointment at the rate of progress making. In the leading industries the tendency is still toward gradual resumption, but in few cases is the output up to a good normal. Uncertainty as to tariff changes is still widely mentioned as a bar to fullest activities. Reports from the railways are of an increased merchandise traffic.

"Expansion of a conservative character seems most evident in the cotton goods line, domestic demand expanding while export business is quieter.

"Business failures in the United States for the week ending with Jan. 21 were 307, against 319 last week, 408 in the like week of 1908, 252 in 1907, 276 in 1906, and 228 in 1905."

Development Is Conservative.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

"Development in trade is along conservative lines. Larger payrolls in manufacturing centers naturally help retail distribution, but this is still much restricted, though underlying conditions are firmly maintained because of reduced stocks in retailers' hands.

"Quiet conditions still prevail in iron and steel and no transactions of importance are noted. Fair orders are received by some of the smaller plants, but much of this business is said to be obtained through moderate concessions in prices. Demand from the railroads continues unsatisfactory and heavy lines remain slow. While most woolen lines, except fine fancy worsteds, have now been opened, the number of buyers operating is still small and prices have not been definitely settled. Yarn prices remain unchanged, but there is little movement.

"The volume of business placed in the Boston market by visiting shoe buyers falls below expectations, manufacturers in most instances demanding advances which wholesalers are unwilling to pay."

Bank Clearings of the Week.

Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending Jan. 21 shows an aggregate of $3,259,363,000, as against $3,385,094,000 last week and $2,719,704,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the cities:

		Percentage. Inc.	Dec.
New York	$2,020,871,000	21.9	
Chicago	271,886,000	15.7	
Boston	210,967,000	30.9	
Philadelphia	132,492,000	7.5	
St. Louis	76,832,000	17.5	
Pittsburg	62,638,000		1.0
San Francisco	36,478,000	8.8	
Kansas City	45,596,000	30.7	
Baltimore	22,771,000	16.9	
Cincinnati	20,594,000	21.5	
Minneapolis	16,035,000		27.2
New Orleans	20,000,000		11.7
Cleveland	17,604,000	1.7	
Detroit	16,004,589	8.1	
Louisville	14,477,000	20.3	
Los Angeles	12,230,000	27.8	
Omaha	14,779,000	26.1	
Milwaukee	11,772,000	16.9	
Seattle	7,880,000	17.9	
St. Paul	10,815,000	15.3	
Buffalo	7,000,000	27.3	
Denver	8,005,000	15.6	
Indianapolis	6,975,000	20.8	
Fort Worth	13,347,000	27.9	
Memphis	6,063,000	10.0	
Portland, Ore.	6,642,000	31.6	
Albany	6,524,000	14.9	
Richmond	7,771,000	11.3	
Washington, D. C.	6,376,000	32.3	
Spokane, Wash.	6,272,000	24.4	
Salt Lake City	6,170,000	32.9	
Columbus	5,486,000	4.7	
St. Joseph	7,604,000	22.1	
Atlanta	6,482,000	8.7	
Memphis	6,126,000	17.7	
Tacoma	4,749,000	26.9	
Savannah	4,848,000		4.8
Toledo, O.	4,464,000		2.5
Nashville	[illegible]		5
Dallas	3,000	34.9	

		Percentage. Inc.	Dec.
Hartford	3,332,000	4.9	
Des Moines	2,750,000	4.0	
Peoria	2,729,000	4.0	
Norfolk	2,775,000	14.4	
New Haven	2,062,000	14.0	
Grand Rapids	2,196,000	17.3	
Birmingham	2,196,000	9.7	
Syracuse	2,074,000	5.1	
Sioux City	2,800,000	24.9	
Springfield, Mass.	2,446,000	27.0	
Evansville	2,080,000	24.8	
Portland, Me.	1,733,000		5.2
Dayton	1,752,000	28.3	
Little Rock	1,592,000	3.0	
Augusta, Ga.	1,600,000	7.0	
Oakland, Cal.	1,902,000	18.9	
Worcester	974,000		1.1
Mobile	1,464,000	2.9	
Knoxville	1,271,000		.5
Jacksonville, Fla.	1,593,000	18.7	
Chattanooga	1,400,000	10.7	
Charleston, S. C.	1,430,000		9.5
Lincoln, Neb.	1,329,000	21.0	
Wilmington, Del.	1,146,000	9.3	
Wichita	1,777,000	31.4	
Wilkesbarre	1,184,000	20.9	4.6
Wheeling, W. Va.	1,203,000	18.0	
Fall River	1,203,000	45.3	
Davenport	1,163,000	23.2	
Kalamazoo, Mich.	1,007,000	24.8	
Topeka	1,400,000	28.5	
Helena	799,000	24.3	
Springfield, Ill.	988,000	9.4	
Youngstown	741,000	23.3	
Fort Wayne	814,000	28.7	
New Bedford	890,000	21.0	
Erie, Pa.	781,000	23.1	
Cedar Rapids, Ia.	1,020,000	37.3	
Macon	918,000		.3
Akron	858,000	50.0	
Lexington	732,000		9.8
Rockford, Ill.	603,000	4.8	
Fargo, N. D.	646,000	25.6	
Lowell	457,000		5.0
Binghamton	163,000		66.8
Chester, Pa.	1,000,000		5.0
Sioux Falls, S. D.	387,000	32.8	
South Bend, Ind.	874,000	5.0	
Bloomington, Ill.	880,000	15.0	
Canton, O.	1,000,000	80.0	
Quincy, Ill.	511,000		.7
Springfield, O.	580,000	45.9	
Decatur, Ill.	630,000	14.7	
Mansfield, O.	388,000		2.8
Fremont, Neb.	364,000	25.0	
Jacksonville, Ill.	350,000	25.7	
Oklahoma	1,773,000	70.8	
†Houston	12,907,000	45.0	
†Galveston	12,576,000		10.4
Columbia, S. C.	761,000	44.4	
Sacramento	814,000	34.7	
Jackson, Miss.	530,000		

†Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.

IN THE BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Most of the Boston specialties were quiet today, but there was a good demand for Edison Electric and it went up five points or so. Sugar was active and buoyant, following the course of the New York market, and there was some trading in steel commons. American Telephone went up a fraction. Amalgamated and North Butte were the most active coppers. Call loans, 2½@3 per cent; time loans, collateral, 3@4 per cent; time loans, mercantile paper, 3½@4½ per cent; clearing house loans, 2½ per cent.

MINING.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adventure	50	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Allouez	25	36	36	35	35
Amal. Copper	5,481	70	70½	69½	70½
Am. Zinc	100	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼
Arcadian	50				
Ariz. Com'l	251	36	36½	36	36
Atlantic	150	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Boston Con.	400	25	25	24¾	24¾
Boston Corbin	410	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Butte Coalition	160	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Cal. & Arizona	10	113	113	113	113½
Cal. & Hecla	10	655	655	655	655
Centennial	70	20¾	21¼	20¾	21
Copper Range	617	70¾	71¾	70¾	71¾
Daly West	30	10	10	10	10
East Butte	100	9	9	9	9
Elm River	200	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Franklin	275	16½	16¾	16½	16¾
Granby	5	103½	104	103½	104
Greene Cananea	1,450	11¼	11¾	11¼	11¾
Isle Royale	45	25	25	25	25
Lake Copper	100	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
La Salle	97	14¾	14¾	14¼	14¼
Mass. Mining	200	47¾	48	47¾	48
Mexico	200	32	32	32	32
Miami	170	14	14	13¾	13¾
Michigan	100	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Mohawk	230	62	62	62	62
Nev. Con.	110	15¼	15¾	15¼	15¾
North Butte	2,170	70¼	71	70¼	70¾
Old Dom.	153	64	64	64	64
Osceola	75	130	131½	130	131
Parrott	100	43	43	43	43
Quincy	30	96	96	95	95
Rhode Island	476	5	5	5	5
Santa Fe	100	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Shannon	405	10½	10¾	10½	10¾
Superior Copper	415	38¾	39¾	38¾	39¼
Trinity	600	16¾	17¼	16¾	17¼
United Copper	50	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
U. S. Smelter	190	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
Do pfd.	120	45¾	46	45¾	45¾
Utah Apex	1,000	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼
Utah Copper	30	44	44	44	44
Winona	20	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼

OTHER STOCKS.

Am. Agr. Chem.	425	39½	39½	39¼	39¼
Do pfd.	50	97	97	97	97
Am. Pneu. Ser.	75	6	6	6	6
Am. Tel. & Tel.	1,019	126	126½	125¾	126
Cumb. Tel.	10	160	160	160	160
Edison	420	247½	253	247½	252
Mass. Gas.	540	91	91¾	91	91
N. E. Tel.	40	117	117	117	117
Pullman	40	171	175	171	172½
Seattle Elec. pfd.	40	100½	100½	100½	100½
Swift	210	127½	128	127½	128
United Fruit	90	127½	128	127½	128
United Shoe	1,863	44¾	45¾	44¾	45¾
Do pfd	15	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾
U. S. Coal & Oil	1,227	90	91	90	90
Western Tel.	9	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Do pfd	10	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼
Boston & Albany	30	230	230	230	230
Boston Elev.	370	128¾	129¾	128¾	129¾
Boston & Maine	10	128	128	128	128
Boston & Wor.	10	14	14	14	14
Do pfd	20	85¾	86¼	85¾	86¼
Chic. Jct.	3	144	144	144	144
Fitchburg	9	134	134	134	134½
Fitchburg pfd.	10	135	135	135	135
Mass. Elec.	161	10¾	10¾	10	10
Do pfd.	20	48	48	48	48
N. Y., N. H. & H.	50	159	159	158	158
Old Colony R R	5	199	199	199	199
W. End St. R. R. pf.	12	106	106½	106	106½

HEARINGS IN FEDERAL SUIT TO DISSOLVE OIL TRUST END.

Evidence Will Be Taken Up by Four Judges of U. S. Circuit Court in St. Louis on March 23.

The taking of testimony in the suit of the federal government to dissolve the Standard Oil company of New Jersey—the parent corporation—closed yesterday before Special Examiner Franklin Ferris. Unless the government desires to introduce additional testimony before Jan. 29 the evidence will be taken up by four judges of the United States Circuit court sitting in St. Louis on March 23.

The work of examining witnesses began sixteen months ago and the number of persons examined, the mass of testimony taken and the exhibits presented all go to make up what is one of the most gigantic cases ever prosecuted by the government.

Quantity of Evidence Enormous.

The quantity of evidence which will be presented to the court is enormous. It consists of twenty volumes, each volume containing 500 pages, the entire set totaling 6,000,000 words. Appended to the record are 1,400 documentary exhibits. To this mass of evidence will be added fifty pages of documentary evidence, according to an agreement made between Frank B. Kellogg, special assistant to Attorney General Bonaparte, in charge of the government's case, and Attorneys John S. Miller and Moritz Rosenthal for the Standard Oil company, after it has been gone over privately by both sides. The agreement was made to shorten the hearing.

The dissolution suit was filed in the United States Circuit court at St. Louis. Hearings were held in St. Louis, Cleveland, Washington, New York, and Chicago. The most sensational features of the hearings was presented when John D. Rockefeller and John D. Archbold were placed on the witness stand in New York.

Rebuttal Testimony Given.

The hearing, which closed in Chicago, was taken up with rebuttal testimony offered by the government. Unless the petition for delay by Attorneys Miller and Rosenthal is granted to allow them time to prepare for the second trial before Judge Anderson of the famous $29,000,000 fine case, the dissolution suit will go to the Circuit court at St. Louis on March 23. The judges who will hear the arguments are Judges Sanborn, Adams, Vandeventer, and Hook.

The final decision probably will not be reached for at least a year owing to the fact that the United States Supreme court will be called upon to review the case after the decision of the lower court.

$220,000 PAID IN BENEFITS.

Annual Reports and Election by the Firemen's Mutual Aid and Benefit Association.

The Firemen's Mutual Aid and Benefit association of Chicago elected these officers yesterday:

President—William F. Burroughs.

Vice president—Peter J. Simon.

Secretary—Hugh M. Topping.

Treasurer—A. J. Kelley.

Trustees—Henry Napp, William J. Porter, Henry Clohecy.

The association held its meeting in the hall over engine company No. 13 quarters at Lake and Dearborn streets. The annual reports show that $220,000 has been paid in the last twelve months in death benefits. The organization has a membership of 1,771 firemen.

ACTIVE STOCKS CLOSE LOWER

Wall Street Market Shows Losses at Finish of Trading.

STEEL DROPS BACK AGAIN.

Business in Bonds Distributed Over Wide Range of Issues.

[NEW YORK TIMES FINANCIAL LEADER.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—[Special.]—Reversing its position after a further advance during the early part of today's trading, the stock market lost all the ground which it had made during the morning as well as during the final trading on Thursday, when there was a sharp advance in a number of active stocks.

Greater activity was shown at the opening of trading than for several days, but after the first hour the volume of trading, as well as the movement of prices, lagged until late in the day, when with renewed activity came a general recession in active issues. Practically all these ended the day with net losses, ranging up to a point, and it was only in exceptional cases that the morning's advances were retained. The most noteworthy of these were American Sugar, which on light trading showed a net gain of 4¾ points; National Lead, which on a larger volume ended the day with a net gain of 2½ points; and North America, which gained 3¾ points.

No Change in Character of Trading.

The movement of the stock market suggested no material change in the character of trading, which evidently, as it has been on previous days, was in the hands of traders. United States Steel, which led the recovery on Thursday and made a further gain at the opening today, dropped back in the afternoon from 86¼ to 85¾ and closed at the day's low price, with a fractional net loss. During the upward movement the preferred stock, selling at 115, established a new high price for this issue.

Active trading in the bond market, distributed over a wide range of issues, evinced the continued large demand for bonds, the day's business on the stock exchange being supplemented by active trading over the counter.

An incident of the day was the announcement of the sale by the Norfolk and Western of $10,000,000 divisional lien 4 per cent bonds, the resale of the issue by bankers being announced coincidentally with the sale by the railroad itself. A noteworthy indication of the conditions now prevailing in the investment market is found in the fact that these bonds had been sold for the purpose of refunding the new issue, which was put out only last year and which will not mature until May, 1910.

Banks to Complete Repayment.

The national banks of the country will have to complete by tomorrow the repayment of the $15,000,000 public deposits to the national treasury, but the importance of this fact was lessened because of prepayments on the account, which have been in progress since the call for this money was issued by the secretary-treasurer.

The usual weekly estimates of the currency movement indicate a gain in cash by New York City banks approximating $10,000,000, the large part of which represented the excess of receipts from the interior over shipments to the interior. Cables today brought news of heavy oversubscription to the Russian loan in Paris, while London subscribers to the loan were reported to have received less than half of the amount for which they applied.

Money on call easy, 1½@2 per cent; ruling rate, 1¾; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 1¾. Time loans active and easy; 60 days, 2¾ per cent; 90 days, 2¾ per cent; 6 months, 3 to 3¼ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3½ to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady on actual business in bankers' bills at 484.80@484.90 for 60 day bills and at 487.25 for demand. Commercial bills, 484½@484¾. Bar silver, 51½. Mexican dollars, 44. Government bonds easy; railroad bonds steady.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Jan. 22.	Close. Jan. 21.
Allis-Chalmers	300	12	12	12	12	12½
Do pfd	1,100	37½	37½	37½	37½	37½
Amal. Copper	25,100	70¾	71¾	70¾	71¾	72
Am. Agr. Chem.	400	39½	40	39½	40	39¾
Am. Beet Sugar	6,200	32¾	33¾	32¾	33¾	33¾
Do pfd	300	84¾	85	84¾	85	84¾
Am. Can	400	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Do pfd	1,000	47¾	48	47¾	48	47¾
Am. Car & Fdy	6,900	48¾	50¼	48¾	50	49¾
Do pfd	300	104	106	104	106	105½
Am. Cotton Oil	25,300	46½	50¾	46¾	51¼	49¾
Am. Express	2,000	141	141	141	141	140
Am. Hide & Leather	100	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Do pfd	3,200	41¼	42¼	41¼	41¾	40¾
Am. Ice Sec.	100	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Am. Linseed	2,500	14	15	13¾	14¾	14¾
Do pfd	300	30	31	30	31	31
Am. Loco	4,900	57	58	57	57¾	56¾
Am. Malt. Cor. pfd	100	47	47	47	47	47
Am. Smelting	23,400	87	87¾	86¾	86¾	86¾
Do pfd	4,100	102¾	103¼	102	102	102¾
Am. Smelting Sec.	600	67¾	68	67¾	67¾	67¾
Do pfd	100	103	103	103	103	103
Am. Steel Fdys.	100	35¼	35¼	35¼	35¼	35¼
Am. Sugar	5,100	119¾	122¾	119¾	122¾	118¾
Do pfd	100	129¾	129¾	129¾	129¾	129¾
Am. Tel. & Tel.	1,500	125¾	126¾	125¾	126¾	125¾
Am. Tob. pfd	100	94	94	94	94	94
Am. Woolen pfd	100	94½	94½	94½	94½	94½
Anaconda	5,000	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¼	47¾
Atchison	1,800	102¾	103¾	102¾	103¾	103¾
Do pfd	1,400	101¾	101¾	101	101	100¾
A. C. Line	300	100	100	100	100	100
At. & O	4,900	113¾	113¾	113	113	113¾
Batopilla	300	21	21	21	21	21
Beth. Steel	200	35	35	35	35¼	35
B. R. Trans.	2,800	70¾	70¾	70	70	70¾
Brunswick	100	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼
Canadian Pacific	4,500	174¾	175¾	174¾	174¾	174
Cent. of N. J.	300	221¾	221¾	221¾	224	224
Cent. Leather	9,700	31¾	32¾	31¾	32¾	31¾
Do pfd	700	101¼	102¾	101½	102¾	101¾
C. & Ohio	200	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾	62
Chi. Gt. W.	2,600	13¾	14	13¾	13¾	13¾
Do pfd. B	1,200	39	39	39	39	39
Do debs.	100	82	82	82	82	82
M. & St. P.	18,000	149¾	150¾	149¾	150¾	149¾
C. & N. W.	800	176¾	176¾	176¾	176¾	176¾
Chi. U. Traction stamp ctfs.	300	8¼	8¾	8¼	8¼	8¾
Do pfd.	1,500	17¾	17¾	17¾	18¼	18
C., C., C. & St. L.	400	77	77	77	77	77
C., I. & L.	1,200	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Colo. Southern	1,900	42	43¾	42	43¾	43¾
Do 1st pfd	800	84	84½	83¾	84	84¾
Do 2d pfd	1,800	81¾	81¾	81	81	81¾
Col. Fl. C. & I.	100	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾
Con. Gas	1,400	127¾	127¾	126¾	127¼	127¾
Corn Prod. rfg.	11,900	19	19¾	19¼	19¾	19¾
Do pfd	1,400	80	80¾	79¾	80	80
Comstock Tunnel	400	30c	30c	29c	29c	30c
D., L. & W.	100	547	547	547	547	547
D., R. G.	400	37¾	38	37¾	37¾	38
Do pfd	600	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾
Dis. Sec.	9,700	29¾	30¾	29¾	30¾	30¾
Duluth, S. S. & A.	1,000	42	42	42	42	42
Do pfd	300	144½	144½	144½	144½	144½
Erie	2,600	31¾	32¾	31¾	32¾	31¾
Do 1st pfd	1,000	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¾	48
Fed. Min. & Smelt. pfd.	300	62	62	62	62	62
Gen. Electric	1,000	167¾	170¾	166	166	169¾
Gt. Nor. Ore ctfs.	4,400	71¾	73¾	71¾	72	71¾
Gt. Nor. pfd.	1,400	129¾	130¾	129¾	130¾	129¾
*Havana Elec.	100	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Illinois Central	1,800	149	149¾	148¾	149¾	149¾
Int. Harv.	400	110	110	109¾	109¾	110
Do pfd	600	104	104	104	104	104
Int. Met.	1,000	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½
Do pfd	1,000	44½	44½	44½	44½	44½
Int. Pump	1,000	39¾	40¾	39¾	40¾	40¾
Do pfd	400	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Iowa Central	1,200	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Do pfd	1,300	60¾	61¾	60¾	60¾	60¾
K. C. Southern	4,000	48¾	48¾	47¾	47¾	48
Do pfd	2,200	74	74	73¾	73¾	73¾
Long Island	500	64	64	64	64	64
L. & N.	400	123¾	124	123¾	123¾	123¾
Mackay	1,100	70¾	70¾	70	70	70
Do pfd	100	70	70	70	70	70
Met. Met.	1,600	9	9	8¾	8¾	9
Do pfd	2,700	29¾	29¾	28¾	29	29¾
Mex. Cent. ctfs.	6,000	25¾	26¾	25¾	26¾	26¾
M., St. P. & S. M.	1,800	148	148	144¾	145	145¾
M., K. & T.	18,600	44¾	46¾	43¾	44	44¾
Do pfd	800	74¾	75¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
Mo. Pacific	5,500	71¾	71¾	71	71	71¾
Nat. Biscuit	900	106	106	106	106½	106½
Do pfd	100	115¾	115¾	115¾	115¾	115¾
Nat. Enamel	800	14¾	15	14¾	14¾	14¾
Nat. Lead	14,500	79	81¾	78¾	80¾	79¾
Do pfd	100	107	107	107	107	107
N. Y. Air B.	100	50	50	50	50	51
Newhouse	100	52	52	52	52	52
N. Y. Central	4,800	130¾	131	129¾	130¾	130¾
N. Y., N. H. & H.	100	159	159	159	159	159¼
N. Y. O. & W.	800	47¾	47¾	46¾	47¾	46¾
Norf. & W.	2,300	91¾	91¾	90¾	90¾	91¾
North Am.	5,400	71¾	74¾	71¾	74¾	74
Nor. Pacific	5,300	141¾	141¾	140¾	140¾	140¾
Nor. Pacific rcts. full paid	2,800	140¾	140¾	140¾	140¾	.....
Ont. Silver	300	4¾	4¾	4	4	.....
Pacific Mail	200	34	34	33¾	34	.....
Pennsylvania	9,800	128¾	130¾	128¾	129¾	129¾
People's Gas	4,700	102	104¾	101	101	102¾
P., C. C. & St. L.	2,800	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾	99
Pressed Car	1,100	52¾	53¾	52¾	53¾	53¾
Do pfd	100	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
Quicksilver	1,100	3¾	4	3¾	3¾	3¾
Ry. Steel Spgs.	800	45	46	44¾	45¾	45
Do pfd	200	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
Reading	28,600	158	159¾	157¾	157¾	158
Do 1st pfd	300	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾
Rep. I. & S.	4,200	35¾	36¾	35¾	36¾	36¾
Do pfd	2,700	86¾	88¾	86¾	87¾	87¾
Rock Island	4,900	24¾	25¾	24¾	24¾	25¼
Do pfd	8,200	61¾	62	61¾	61¾	61¾
Rome, W. & O.	100	138	138	138	138	.....
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	1,100	41¾	41¾	40¾	40¾	41¾
St. L. S. W. pfd.	300	31½	31½	31½	31½	31½
Sloss-Sheff	700	70	70	70	70	70
Southern Pacific	68,600	121¾	124¾	120¾	124¾	121
Southern Ry.	3,000	23¾	24¾	23¾	24¾	23¾
Do pfd	1,000	68	68	68	68	68
Tenn. Copper	9,700	31¾	32¾	31¾	32¾	32¾
Texas Pacific	300	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
Tex. Pac. L. T.	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Third Ave.	100	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾
Tol., St. L. & W.	100	14	14	14	14	14
Tol., St. L. & W. pfd	1,000	32	32¼	31¾	31¾	32
Do pfd	5,800	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾
Twin City	1,000	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
Un. Bag & Paper	1,200	10¾	10¾	10¼	10¾	10¾
Do pfd	300	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
Union Pacific	62,700	181	181¾	179¾	179¾	180¾
Do pfd	1,200	96¾	97¾	96¾	97¾

...The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2%@2½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 2%@2½ per cent.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—The tone on the bourse today was quiet and prices eased slightly. Closing: 3 per cent rentes, 96 francs 40½ centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 18½ centimes for checks.

BERLIN, Jan. 22.—Prices in all departments of the bourse today were firm. Exchange on London, 20 marks 48½ pfennigs for checks. Discount for short and three months' bills, 3 per cent.

TREASURY BALANCES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the several funds, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows:

Available cash balances	$140,000,000
Gold coin and bullion	85,000,000
Gold certificates	25,000,000

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WHEAT MARKET IS NARROW

May Delivery Gains Slightly, but Other Months Are Easy.

CORN SHORTS ARE NERVOUS.

Trade Fairly Active, with Leading Bears Aggressive Buyers.

Trade in wheat was on a narrow basis yesterday, fluctuations covering a range of only ⅛c, but the general tone of the market was firm, notwithstanding the bulk of the news was of a bearish character. Larger Australian shipments than expected, with a liberal increase in the Argentine visible, and rains in India, gave shorts courage at the start, but commission houses had buying orders on all the dips. The close was a shade higher for the May and a little easier for the deferred options. Outside business was of small proportions. Despite this fact the market required little support from the bull leaders. Outside markets were inclined to weakness as a result of the buying of Chicago May and selling the same delivery other exchanges.

Australian Exports Are Large.

The heavy Australian shipments, which were said to be the largest on record at 2,968,000 bu, gave the Liverpool market a weak tone, and the close there was unchanged to ¼d lower. Moreover, needed rains were reported in sections of India and the general tone of foreign advices was in the main pessimistic. Berlin, however, was strong on continued poor crop reports. Weidd's shipments were materially larger for the week at 3,408,000 bu, but compared to 10,448,000 bu a year ago. North America cleared 3,065,000 bu for the week and Argentina 2,472,000 bu.

Cash wheat in all markets was inclined to firmness and receipts were a little larger, but primary arrivals only aggregated 384,000 bu, while there was no cash wheat pressing for sale. Local cash sales were 25,000 bu, with 104,000 bu taken for export at the seaboard.

Weather Conditions Are Factor.

An important factor developed in the fact that the snow covering over the winter wheat belt has been dissipated by the mild weather of the last few days, and over a great part of the belt the plant is now unprotected. With a cold wave due about Sunday this caused some buying. The visible is expected to show a big decrease again next week. Northwest stocks will show a loss for the first time in several weeks, Duluth and Minneapolis together decreasing 160,000 bu. Export sales were 104,000 bu, including small lots of No. 2 red winter, durum, and Manitobas. Local receipts were 2 cars, with 40 cars expected today. A better flour trade was reported from the northwest.

Corn Stays on Up Grade.

To the surprise of many traders corn again maintained a strong tone and closed ¾@¾c higher. Shorts showed an inclination to cover on the last few days and an enormous scale the last few days and an enormous shortage has been eliminated, but the corn still acts as strongly as it did lower down, indicating that the grain is strongly held. There has been scattered buying for several weeks, the aggregate volume of which has been large, and shorts have not recognized the underlying strength this buying has created. Country offerings showed some increase, especially from west of the Mississippi. Cash prices were ¼c to ½c higher. Shipping sales, 145,000 bu. Primary receipts were 668,000 bu vs. 880,000 bu a year ago. Local arrivals were 205 cars, with 280 cars expected today. Export clearances were 60,000 bu. Argentine shipments were small at 73,000 bu.

Oats Steady at Close.

Strength in corn and light offerings with a little commission house buying early made for a steady tone in oats. Trade was not large and prices were not much changed. Quite a few oats have been taken off the market quietly the last few days, and short sellers made little progress in selling. The sample market was strong with prices steady to ½c better. Shipping sales were 185,000 bu. Country offerings are not large. Primary receipts for the day were 373,000 bu, against 380,000 bu a year ago. Receipts at Chicago were 76 cars with 110 cars expected today.

Rye Prices Are Firm.

Rye was steady to a shade firmer. May sold at 73c bid and 79c asked. Cash No. 2 sold at 77@77½c; No. 3 was nominally 70@75c, and No. 4 was nominally 65@70c. No receipts.

Barley was strong early, but eased off and closed steady. Malting grades were quoted at 61@67c; mixing, 60@63c, and screenings, 50@62c. Receipts were 59 cars.

Flaxseed was 2½c higher. No. 1 northwestern closed at $1.60½; No. 1 from the northwest at $1.59, and No. 1 southwestern at $1.50½; rejected was $1.28½@1.38½ nominal.

Timothy seed was easier. March was $3.90 bid and $4.00 asked. Cash lots were quoted $2.90@3.50.

Clover seed was quiet and unchanged. March was nominally $9.40, and country lots were $7.00@9.25.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Jan. 22.	Closing Jan. 21.
May	1.01⅝-¾	1.01⅞	1.01⅝	1.01⅞	1.01⅝
July	97⅛-¾	97⅝-⅞	97⅛	97⅝	97⅛
Sept	94⅜	94½	94⅛	94⅜-½	94⅛

CORN.

May	62¾-⅞	63⅛	62¾-⅞	63⅛-¼	62¼
July	62¾-⅞	63⅛	62⅝	62⅞	62⅜
Sept	62⅝	62⅞	62⅜	62⅝	62⅛

OATS.

May	52-¼	52¾-¾	52	52	52
July	46⅝	46½	46¾-⅝	46⅝	46½
Sept	30½	30½	30⅝-½	30⅝-⅝	30⅝-½

Grain Inspection.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Lower grades.	Total.
Winter wheat	1	...	...	...	1
Durum wheat	...	...	1	...	1
Corn	5	12	1239	76	2032
Oats	8	12	31	25	76
Barley	...	...	25	34	59
Totals	12	12	185	185	342

Inspected out: Wheat: Winter, 3,000 bu No. 2 hard, 6,000 bu No. 2 red, 1,000 bu No. 3 northern, 12,045 bu No. 3. Loaded from duluth-owned elevators —Wheat: Winter, 3 cars No. 2 hard, 2 cars No. 1 red, 27 cars No. 2 red. Corn—69 cars No. 3 yellow, 3 cars No. 2 white, 31 cars No. 3 white, 36 cars No. 3. Oats—5 cars No. 2 white, 2 cars No. 3. Rye—1 cars No. 3.

Weekly Indemnities.

Wheat—	Ups	Next week— Downs
May	1.10	1.05
July	.99½	.99⅝
Corn—		
May	.63½	.61⅜
July		
Oats—		
May	.52½	.51½

Daily Indemnities.

	Ups			Downs	
Wheat—	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.08¾	1.08¾	1.08⅝	1.07⅞	1.07⅝	1.07⅝
July	98	97⅞	97⅞	97⅜	97⅛	97⅛
Corn—						
May	62½	62⅝	62⅜	62⅛	62¼	62⅜
July	62⅜	62½	62⅜	62⅛	62¼	62¼
Oats—						
May	52	51⅞	51⅝	52	52	52

Cash Grain Transactions.

FLOUR—Firm. Winter wheat patents, jute, $4.75@4.90; straight, jute, $4.00@4.10; clear, jute, $3.60@3.80; spring wheat flour, special brands, wood, $5.00; Minnesota and hard springs, straight, export bags, $4.90@5.10; first clear, $3.60@3.90; second clears, $2.90@3.10; low grades, $2.70@2.80; rye flour, white, per brl, jute, $3.70@3.85; dark, per brl, $3.55@3.65.

WINTER WHEAT—Steady. Sales in store: Mixed lots, 25,000 bu. Free on board: No. 3 hard, $1.05; No. 2 hard, $1.00¾. Illinois proportional: No. 3 red: $1.08.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady.

CORN—¼@¾c higher. Sales in store: Mixed lots, 120,000 bu. On track and free on board: No grade, 58@59c; No. 4, 65¼@66c; No. 4 yellow, 65¼@66c; No. 3, 59¼@60c; No. 3 yellow, 59¾@60c; No. 2 yellow, 60¾c; No. 4 white, 60c; No. 3 white, 60@60½c; ears, 55@61c. Illinois proportional billing: No grade, 54@57c; No. 4, 58¾@59c; No. 4 yellow, 58¾@60¼c; No. 3, 59@59¼c; No. 3 yellow, 59¾c; No. 4 white, 59@59½c; No. 3 white, 62@62½c.

OATS—Steady to ⅛c higher. Sales in store: White clipped, 125,000 bu. On track and free on board: No grade, 47@50¼c; No. 4 white, 44¼@50c; No. 3 white, 50@52½c; standard, 51¼@52c. Illinois proportional billing: No. 4 white, 50¾@52c; No. 3 white, 51@51½c; standard, 51¾@52c.

RYE—Firm. Sales on track: No. 2, 77¾c. Free on board: No. 2, 77@77½c; no grade, 77c.

BARLEY—Steady; sales free on board: Screenings, 55@62c; barley, 58¼@64c.

AMERICAN GRAIN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—WHEAT—Receipts, 56,800 bu; spot steady; No. 3 red, $1.06@1.09, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.10 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.20½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.10½ f. o. b. afloat. Last prices were ⅛ to ¼c net lower; May, $1.10¼@1.11⅛, closed $1.11; July, $1.04⅝@1.05⅜, closed $1.04⅝.

CORN—Receipts, 18,600 bu; exports, 2,800; spot firm; No. 2, 70c, elevator, and 67½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 white nominal and No. 2 yellow, 67½c f. o. b. afloat. Options closed ¼c net higher. May closed 69¼c; July closed 69¾c; September closed 69¾c. OATS—Receipts, 30,235 bu; exports, 3,323; spot steady; mixed, 26@29 lbs, 54@54½c; natural white, 26@32 lbs, 54@57½c; clipped white, 54@59 lbs, 56¼@62c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 22.—WHEAT—May wheat opened $1.05¾; high, $1.06¾; low, $1.07⅛; close, $1.06¾; July opened, $1.06⅝@1.06¾; high, $1.08⅜; low, $1.08⅛; close, $1.08⅜. Cash demand was good, millers taking sparingly. Close, cash: No. 1 northern spot, $1.09¾@1.09⅞; to arrive, $1.09¾@1.09⅞; No. 2 northern spot, $1.07⅜@1.07⅞; to arrive, $1.07⅜@1.07⅞; No. 3 wheat, $1.03@1.05; No. 1 yellow corn, 65½@66c; No. 3 yellow, 64½@65c; oats, 40¾; No. 3 rye, 69¾@71¾c. BARLEY—Receipts, 54 cars, against 54; shipments, 64; closed 56½@60c. FLAX—Receipts, 39 cars, against 69; shipments, 2; close, $1.58¾. MILLSTUFFS—Shipments, 1,886 tons. BRAN—In bulk, $18.00@18.50. FLOUR—Quiet, demand light; shipments, 36,708 brls. First patents, $5.40@5.65; second patents, $5.25@5.40; first clears, $4.00@4.10; second clears, $2.95@3.10.

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 22.—Close: WHEAT—No. 1 hard, on track, $1.09¾; to arrive, No. 1 northern, $1.08¾; No. 2 northern, $1.06¾. On track: No. 1 northern, $1.08¾; No. 2 northern, $1.06¾; May, $1.07⅜; July, $1.08. DURUM—On track, No. 1, 99c; No. 2, 86¾c; May, 94½c; July, 91¾c. FLAX—To arrive, $1.58; on track, $1.58; May, $1.58; July, $1.58; October, $1.58¾. OATS—To arrive, 49c; on track, 46c. RYE—67@70c. BARLEY—55¾@58¼c. Cars inspected: Wheat, 83; last year, 37. Corn, 36; oats, 5; rye, 1; barley, 3; flax, 16; last year, 13. Receipts: Wheat, 40,054 bu; flax, 13,119 bu. Shipments—Oats, 4,500.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 22.—Close: WHEAT—May, $1.00¾; July, 91c; cash, No. 2 hard, 90¼@$1.07; No. 3, 86c@$1.05; No. 2 red, $1.00¾@1.10; No. 3, $1.07. CORN—May, 58¾c; July, 59c; September, 58⅝c; cash, No. 2 white, 59c; No. 3, 58¼c; No. 2 white, 60½c; No. 3, 60¼c. OATS—No. 2 white, 50@52c; No. 3 mixed, 49@50c. RECEIPTS—Wheat, 85 cars.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 22.—WHEAT—Steady; No. 1 northern, $1.12; No. 2 northern, $1.10; May, $1.07¾ asked. RYE—Lower; No. 1, 76¾c. OATS—Firm; standard, 52½c. CORN—Higher; May, 63¾@63¾c. BARLEY—Steady; standard, 52¾@53¾c; sample, 50¼@60c; No. 2 Chevalier, 60c; No. 2 fall, 61@62½c; No. 4, 40½c; feed, 60¾@61c; Wisconsin, 63@65½c.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 22.—Close: WHEAT—Firm; track, No. 2 red, cash, $1.10¼@1.10¾; No. 2 hard, $1.08¼@1.08; May, $1.07⅞; July, 97½c. CORN—Higher; track, No. 2 cash, 62¾@63c; May, 62¾@62¼c; July, 62¾c. OATS—Firm; track, No. 2 cash, 50¼@51c; No. 2 white, 52c; May, 52c; July, 46½c.

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 22.—CORN—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 59@59¾c; No. 3 yellow, 58¼@59¼c; No. 4 yellow, 58¼c; No. 3, 59¼@59¾c; No. 4, 58¾c. OATS—Higher; No. 3 white, 51c; No. 4 white, 49¾@50c. RYE—Dull; No. 2, 76@76¼c.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 22.—CLOVERSEED—Cash and January, $5.82½; March, $5.87½; October, $6.05. Prime alsike, $8.65.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 22.—Closing: WHEAT—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10d. Futures steady: March, 7s 7¾d; May, 7s 8d; July, 7s 7½d. CORN—Spot steady; New American mixed (via Galveston), 5s 4¾d. Futures steady; March, 5s 4d; May, 5s 4d.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Low prices had a stimulating effect on the demand for steers, and sellers managed to dispose of a good share of the offerings carried over since Wednesday at prices which showed a substantial gain over the low level of the week. The cheaper grades were the ones most favored by buyers and they showed the most rally over last Wednesday's low level of prices.

Hog values opened 5@10c higher than early on Thursday, but reacted and closed little changed from that day's general average. Packers were active buyers, but they did not care to pay advanced figures, and the trade had a dull tone until salesmen agreed to accept steady values. Prime fat butcher hogs sold at up to $6.37½, against $6.50 on Thursday. Sheep and lamb trade was exceedingly slow, but supplies were limited and prices held at a practically unchanged level. The general quality was inferior and best lambs on the market sold at $7.00, against $7.65 on Thursday.

CATTLE.

Greater activity and higher prices featured the native steer trade. Fresh arrivals were estimated at 2,000 head, but there was a liberal supply of stock carried over from earlier in the week and business reached gratifying proportions. Traders were supplied with more urgent inquiries for stock from eastern dealers, and local killers were anxious to lay in reserve supplies at the low prices. Offerings consisted of plain beeves, and there was a dearth of high-priced steers, while the bulk of the supply cleared at from $4.65@5.25, with tops at $5.95.

Steady prices were paid for butcher stock, local packers being the principal buyers, although there were sufficient shipping orders to inject a fair amount of ginger in the trade. Bulls made weak prices, while calves suffered further sharp depreciations, sales of prime vealers being negotiated at from $7.50@7.75, or fully $2.00 lower than a week ago. Canners and cutters made steady values, while an increased attendance of outside buyers in the feeder and stocker division afforded a broader outlet for the offerings at prices unchanged to a shade higher than the Thursday level. Quotations:

Good to choice steers	$5.25@6.90
Fair to good steers	4.50@5.25
Common to fair steers	4.00@4.75
Canners and cutters	1.50@3.00
Good to prime cows	4.00@4.25
Medium to good cows	3.75@4.00
Good to choice heifers	2.75@4.25
Common to fair heifers	2.50@3.00
Stockers and feeders	3.00@4.15
Heavy calves	2.75@5.60
Fair to fancy veals	4.75@7.50
Good to choice bulls	2.50@3.25
Bologna bulls	2.00@3.90

Cattle at six western markets, 8,100 head, against 11,300 a week ago, 7,100 a year ago, and 11,200 two years ago. Total for 1909 to date, 526,000, against 506,000 the same period in 1908.

HOGS.

Shipping orders called for about one-fourth of the total receipts of 24,000, and, although there were nearly 16,000 hogs carried over from the preceding day, shippers and speculators were active buyers from the start, paying 5@10c higher than on Thursday for all desirable offerings. The outsiders paid $6.45@6.55 for most of their prime heavy butcher grades, taking one load of extra choice weighty hogs at up to $6.57½, the top of the market and 7½c higher than the extreme price reached on Thursday.

Packers refused to follow the advance, and held back until they could secure their hogs at prices only steady to 5c higher than on the day before. After prices were lowered to this level the killers operated on a liberal scale, and bought up all the desirable weighty offerings before the close. Shippers had good orders calling for lightweight hogs, and these sold to better advantage, the bulk clearing at from $6.05 to $6.20, with lightweight butchers at from $6.30 to $6.45. Mixed packing hogs sold at from $6.10 to $6.25, with heavy packing grades at from $6.30 to $6.50. Pigs were neglected. Quotations:

Bulk of sales	$6.12@6.55
Selected butchers	6.45@6.57½
Fair to good butchers	6.15@6.40
Choice to light	6.15@6.30
Good choice to heavy shipping	6.25@6.50
Medium to light fancy shipping	6.20@6.40
Mixed packing	6.10@6.25
Heavy packing	6.30@6.50
Heavy pigs	5.50@6.40
Light pigs	4.75@5.10
Stags	5.75@6.00
Boars	4.70@5.10

Average price of hogs at Chicago $6.34, against $6.34 Thursday, $6.02 a week ago, $4.29 a year ago, and $6.73 two years ago.

Eleven markets received 89,500 hogs, against 126,300 a week ago, 120,200 a year ago, and 74,700 two years ago. Total for 1909 to date, 2,327,000, against 2,916,000 the same period in 1908.

Hog purchases for the day follow: Armour & Co., 7,900; Swift & Co., 4,600; Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, 2,500; Anglo-American, 1,700; Hammond, 200; Boyd-Lunham, 800; Boore & Co., 300; Roberts & Oake, 160; Morris & Co., 1,600; Western Packing Co., 900; butchers, 800; shippers, 6,000; total, 27,006; left over 5,000.

SHEEP.

Receipts of 3,600 fell far short of expectations, but the quality was not attractive, shipping orders were almost entirely absent, and local buyers failed to show any anxiety at the decrease in supplies. Trade had a dull, weak tone from start to finish, and, although a fair clearance was effected, this was due more to the fact that supplies were so moderate than to any urgency in the demand. Lambs made up the bulk of the offerings, while there were only a few full loads of sheep on the market.

An eastern shipper paid $7.60 for a string of prime Ohio fed western lambs, but packers would not pay more than $7.50, and a pretty good class of native killers had to sell at around $7.25. Western sorts were in small lots ranged at from $4.00@5.10, with one full load at $4.90. Native wethers made $5.00@5.50, and yearlings $5.25@6.50, with western offerings at $5.35 for aged wethers and $6.40 for yearlings. Native ewes sold at from $3.00@5.00, with most desirable fat ewes at $4.50@5.00, and ranged at from $3.00@4.00, and a long string of 90 lb goats sold at $2.85. Quotations:

Fat wethers	$4.90@5.05
Fair to good wethers	4.75@4.90
Prime ewes	4.50@4.75
Fair to good ewes	3.00@3.75
Culls and common	2.00@3.00
Yearlings	4.90@5.15
Native lambs, good to choice	7.00@7.50
Native lambs, plain to medium	6.50@6.75
Fat western lambs	6.00@7.00
Cull lambs	4.00@6.00

The movements of live stock at the Chicago stockyards compare as follows:

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday, Jan. 18	31,276	2,005	48,648	20,228
Tuesday, Jan. 19	15,000	1,000	30,000	15,000
Wednesday, Jan. 20	31,000	2,441	56,257	17,309
Thursday, Jan. 21	7,168	1,372	42,906	8,127
Friday, Jan. 22	2,000	500	28,000	3,600
Week so far	76,753	5,502	194,086	60,220
Previous week	93,444	6,311	227,000	69,000
Cor. time 1908	73,758	6,225	245,391	97,719
Cor. time 1907	72,989	5,643	146,868	58,266
Shipments—				
Monday, Jan. 18	8,000	41	15,000	2,000
Tuesday, Jan. 19	3,296	196	5,731	1,500
Wednesday, Jan. 20	3,373	54	5,148	1,200
Thursday, Jan. 21	9,500	127	9,000	2,301
Friday, Jan. 22	5,000	100	6,000	1,500
Week so far	34,169	518	42,789	10,009
Week ago	35,215	407	47,948	8,497
Cor. time 1908	30,123	506	51,530	11,530
Cor. time 1907	30,123	451	41,833	17,456

Receipts for Jan. 24 were estimated at 200 cattle, 20,000 hogs, and 1,500 sheep, against actual arrivals of 379 cattle, 15,335 hogs, and 824 sheep for Saturday, Jan. 25, 1908.

STOCKYARDS GOSSIP.

Although three consecutive weeks of liberal receipts of cattle have enabled packers to fill up coolers in a liberal way, they were ready to overlook the opportunity of ascertaining additional supply of stock at low prices and they gave the market good support. Buyers for Armour & Co. and Swift & Co. were especially keen after the low priced offerings and they operated with little reluctance, getting much better prices than were obtainable late Wednesday.

One salesman said he secured $5.00 for a load of steers for which he was bid $4.70 late Wednesday. General sales did not show up so well in comparison, but the fact remained that it was much easier to effect sales at satisfactory prices than on the two preceding days.

Calf values suffered a further loss of 50@75c, and were quotable at $2.00 and even $2.50 lower than a week ago. Excessive receipts and a falling off in the shipping demand were responsible for the sharp drop in prices.

Two calves were expressed here from Missouri and sold at a gross price of $7.60, which left the shipper $1.75 after express charges, commissions, and yardage had been deducted.

Hogs were received, yarded, and ready for market at an early hour, but the early advance paid by shippers and speculators served to keep the leading packers out of the trade until after 10 o'clock, when the price basis was established at a lower level.

Armour & Co. had 1,500 hogs in direct from St. Paul, and bought enough to make a total drove of 7,300 hogs. Swift & Co. were well represented in the hog trade, their purchases being estimated at 4,000, but the smaller packers did not secure their usual percentage of the offerings.

Shippers were credited with purchases of 6,000 to 7,000 hogs, making purchases for the week thus far 43,000 head, against 48,000 a week ago, and 36,000 a year ago.

Hogs carried over from Thursday's market were officially counted at 9,784.

ON THE BOARD OF TRADE.

Erratic fluctuations in the current pork delivery which covered a range of 75c during the session, with selling on a large scale by the packers, were the features in the trade in hog products. Covering by shorts forced the price of January pork to $15.00, where the demand was satisfied, prices thereafter easing off to $17.25. Selling by packers encouraged liberal realizing by local longs and the general tone of the market was weak with prices at the close 15@25c lower for pork, 15c off on lard, and 5@7½c lower for ribs. There was good commission house buying of ribs early. Local hog receipts were less than expected at 27,000 with 19,000 expected today. Western hog receipts were 76,400, against 86,000 a year ago. Shipments of lard and meats were 93 cars. Foreign markets were firm. The Orange Judd Farmer estimates the number of hogs in the country at 5 per cent less than a year ago, or about 2,400,000 less.

MESS PORK.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Jan. 22.	Closing Jan. 21.
Jan	18.00	18.00	17.25	17.25	17.50
May	17.30	17.30	17.15	17.15	17.30
July	17.62½	17.62½	17.50	17.50	17.25

LARD.

Jan	9.05	9.05	9.00	9.00	9.75
May	9.90	9.90	9.72½	9.75	9.90
July	10.00	10.00	9.85	9.85	10.00

SHORT RIBS.

Jan	8.85	8.85	8.85	8.85	8.90
May	9.10	9.10	9.05	9.00	9.07½
July	9.17½	9.20	9.07½	9.10	9.17½

HOG PRODUCTS—Easy. Cash lots: Mess pork, regular, $17.25@17.87½; lard, $9.00; short ribs, $8.50@8.87½.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, nominal; extra mess beef, $10.00@10.50; plate beef, $15.00@14.00; extra plate beef, $14.50@15.50; tallow steady at 7@7½c for edible, 6¾@6½c for prime packers, 6@6¼c for No. 1 do, and 4½@5c for No. 2 do, 5¾@6c for No. 1 rendering, 4¾@4½c for choice country, and 5@5¼c for No. 2 do. Oleostearin in fair demand and quotably steady at 12⅜@12½c. Oleo oil quiet at 12¼@12⅜c for extra.

GREASE—Quiet and steady at 6¼@6¾c for brown, 4¾@5c for yellow, 4¾@4¼c for house, 4¾@5¼c for B white, 5¼@6c for A white, and 6¼@7½c for choice white.

COOPERAGE—Steady. Ash pork brls, wood bound, 87½@90c; oak pork brls, wood bound, $1.02½@1.05; lard tcs, wood bound, $1.87½@1.90.

VEALS.

80@90 lbs	6@6¼c	120@160 lbs	7@8c
90@100 lbs	6¼@7c	Coarse	6@6c
90@100 lbs	6@10c		

SOUTH WATER STREET BEEF PRICES.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Ribs	16	15	7¼
Loins	19	15	9
Rounds	10	9	5
Chucks	7½	7	4½
Plates	6½	5½	4½

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; steady; choice export and dressed heef steers, $5.75@6.00; fair to good, $4.50@5.75; western steers, $4.25@5.00; stockers and feeders, $3.20@4.40; southern steers, $4.25@5.75; southern cows, $2.00@4.25; native cows, $3.00@4.75; native heifers, $4.00@5.75; bulls, $3.00@4.00; calves, $3.00@7.25. HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; 10c higher; closed weak; top, $6.35; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.35; heavy, $6.20@6.35; packers and butchers, $6.30@6.50; lights, $5.90@6.15; pigs, $4.25@5.40. SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; 5@10c lower; sheep and yearlings, $4.00@5.00; western yearlings, $5.00@6.00; wethers, $4.90@5.50; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.75.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—BEEVES—Receipts, 1,557. Steers badly demoralized and 15c lower, $4.90@6.50; cows, $2.15@4.25. Liverpool and London cables quoted live cattle steady at 13@13½c per lb. Dressed weight: Refrigerator beef selling at 10¼@10½c per lb. Exports tomorrow, 4,975 qrs of beef. CALVES—Receipts, 293. Weak. Veals, $6.00@10.00; culls, $4.00@5.00; Indiana calves, $4.00@6.00. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,627. Sheep easier; lambs 10@15c lower. Sheep, $3.00@4.75; wethers, $5.25; culls, $2.00@2.75; lambs, $6.50@7.45; culls, $5.00. HOGS—Receipts, 3,630. Easier. No sales.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 625; steady; native shipping and export steers, $4.25@7.00; dressed beef and butchers steers, $4.00@6.25; steers under 1,000 lbs, $3.50@5.75; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.00; cows and heifers, $3.50@6.10; canners, $1.75@2.25; bulls, $2.75@5.25; calves, $4.00@7.75; Texas and Indian steers, $3.00@5.25; cows and heifers, $1.75@4.25. HOGS—Receipts, 11,770; 5@10c higher; pigs and lights, $4.00@6.10; packers, $6.15@6.30; butchers and best heavy, $6.35@6.50. SHEEP—Receipts, 500; steady; native muttons, $4.25@5.25; lambs, $4.75@7.05; culls and bucks, $3.25@5.00; stockers, $3.00@4.50.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,800; steady to strong; native steers, $4.50@6.25; cows and heifers, $3.00@5.25; western steers, $3.25@5.85; Texas steers, $3.00@5.10; range cows and heifers, $2.75@4.85; canners, $3.00@3.90; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.35; calves, $3.00@8.00; bulls and stags, $2.75@4.75. HOGS—Receipts, 6,100; 5@10c higher; heavy, $6.10@6.30; mixed, $6.00@6.10; light, $5.85@6.10; pigs, $3.00@5.00; bulk of sales, $6.00@6.15. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,600; steady; yearlings, $5.75@6.75; wethers, $5.00@5.90; ewes, $4.25@5.15; lambs, $6.00@7.40.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 500; market steady; natives, $5.50@6.80; Texas and westerns, $4.75@5.50; cows and heifers, $3.00@5.00; bulls, $3.00@5.00; veals, $2.50@6.50; yearlings and calves, $4.25@5.75; stockers and feeders, $3.75@5.25. HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; market 10c higher; light and light mixed, $5.90@6.05; top, $6.25; medium and heavy, $5.75@6.25; pigs, $4.00@4.75; bulk of sales, $5.95@6.25. SHEEP—Receipts, 200. Strong.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 150; slow and steady. VEALS—Receipts, 100 head; active, firm; $7.00@10.00. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 20,000; slow and 10@15c lower; lambs, $5.00@7.20; yearlings, $6.00@6.25; sheep, $2.50@3.25. HOGS—Receipts, 10,200; active, 5c higher; Yorkers, $6.60@6.80; pigs, $6.50@6.10; mixed, $6.50@6.65; heavies, $6.55@6.60; roughs, $5.25@6.05.

Hides and Wool.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—HIDES—Market was in good condition and values remained unchanged. Quotations:

	Per lb.		Per lb.
Light green and salted	11½c	Kip No. 1	11½c
Full cured	10½@10¾c	Kip No. 2	10c
Damaged green	10c	Dry flint	14c
Damaged salted	9½@9¾c	Dry calf	21c
Green No. 1	10½c	No. 2 dry salted and flint	19c
Green No. 2	9@9½c	Glue stock	2@3c
Salted bull hides, damaged	7c	Horse hides—	
No. 1 calf	13½c	Poor, hides, each	$1.50
No. 2 calf	12c	No. 1	$3.00
No. 2 calf, damaged	12c	No. 2	$2.00@3.00

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—HIDES—Steady. LEATHER—Steady.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—WOOL—All offerings of staple wools were taken at firm prices. Quotations:

Idaho and Oregon—	
Fine	19@19c
Fine medium or half blood	19@17c
Coarse	16@17c
Dakota, Kansas, Nebraska—	
Fine	14@16c
Fine medium or half blood	20@22c
Medium to coarse	20@22c
Wyoming and Utah—	
Fine medium or half blood	19@17c
Colorado, Nevada, and Washington—	
Fine heavy	16@12c
Fine medium or half blood	19@18c
Medium to coarse	19@18c
Average	20@28c

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 22.—WOOL—Unchanged; medium grades, combing and clothing, 19½@22½c; light fine, 16½@20c; heavy fine, 10½@16c; tub washed, 23@31½c.

Chicago Horse Market.

Orders for horses from the west and northwest were more numerous and there was a broader outlet for the medium weight work horses at from $160.00@210.00, but the

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DEATHS.

ALLEN—Dr. Henry C. Allen, Friday evening, at his residence, 2752 Washington av. Funeral notice later. Please omit flowers.

ANDERSON—Capt. John Anderson, beloved husband of the late Maria Anderson, and father of Albert E., Martin J., Henry C., George W., Arthur L., Lester C. Mrs. Emma Buckingham and Mrs. Jennie Erickson. Sunday, Jan. 17, 1909, at his home, 713 Sawyer-av., aged 71 years 10 months. Funeral from late residence, 83 Alice-pl. Saturday, Jan. 23, at 1 p. m.; by carriages to Mount Olive cemetery.

BAKER—Wilson G. Baker, Jan. 23, 1909, 573 Superior-st. Services will be held in Arntzen's funeral chapel, 247 N. Clark-st. Sunday, at 1:30 p. m. Jan. 24. Interment at Rosehill. Burial private.

BEHEL—Wilbur F. Behel, Jan. 21, formerly of Chicago, recently of Benton Harbor, Mich., beloved husband of Julia M. Behel and father of Vernon W. Behel, aged 67 years. Funeral from the residence of his father-in-law, Frank Bethany, Saturday at 2 p. m. Benton Harbor (Mich.) papers please copy.

BOWMAN—Mrs. Mary Bowman, Jan. 23, aged 88 years 10 months. Funeral services will be held from Methodist Episcopal Old People's Home, 975 Fourteenth-av., Monday, Jan. 25, 9 a. m.

CLUTE—Sarah A. Clute, Jan. 21, 1908, mother of George S., Charles D., Mullin, and Mrs. C. H. Koenitzer. Funeral Sunday, 12:30 p. m., from her daughter's residence, 3616 N. Elmwood-av. Oak Park. Interment at Mount Carmel, New York. St. Johns, New Brunswick, and Boston (Mass.) papers please copy.

DICKSON—Andrew Dickson, in the 84th year of his age, a Colorado Pioneer of the 59th inst. Funeral from Graceland chapel on Saturday, at 11 a. m.

DIDIER—Clara Didier entered into rest, wife of the late Louis T. Didier and mother of Fred J. Didier, in her 70th year. Member of Lady Washington chapter O. E. S. Funeral Monday, Jan. 27, '09, at 2 p. m. from late residence, 604 W. Fourteenth-st. Services at Golgotha to Waldheim cemetery. Services at Golgotha Lutheran church. Central and Chicago-ave.

GARTMAN—Minnie Gartman, aged 55 years, beloved wife of Charles Gartman. Funeral services at Rogers's funeral chapel, 549 W. Madison-st., Sunday, 12:00.

HANLEY—Michael A. Hanley, beloved husband of Mary Hanley, nee Curtin, and father of Mrs. Mary Hennessy and Mrs. Thomas Kelly, Mrs. William and Thomas J. and the late John Hanley. Funeral from his late residence, 1514 W. Congress-st., Sunday, Jan. 24, at 9 a. m. to St. Mary of Lourdes, thence to Mount Carmel.

HICKS—Fred Guy Hicks, Jan. 20, 1909, aged 30 years, dearly beloved husband of Grace Patterson, brother of Frank Hicks of Windsor, Canada, and Mrs. Daniel Gray, N. Y., Mrs. F. H. Wing, Fort Edward, N. Y., and Mrs. Bedford, Alphonse, 10 days; 6035 Shields-av., Jan. 19.

Brill, infant, 3 days; 511 Hermitage-av., Jan. 21.
Bell, Tille, 35; 28 Seldon-st., Jan. 21.
Bonsall, August, 56; 96 Michael-st., Jan. 19.
Bowe, Philip E., 3; 3... St. Louis-av., Jan. 20.
Byrne, Minnie, 36; 5525 Center-av., Jan. 20.
Bois, Eva, 7 days; 1417 36th-pl., Jan. 23.
Coalton, Cesaria, 72; 726 Canter-av., Jan. 21.
Cepalek, Mary, 16; 9 Tell-pl., Jan. 19.
Clemann, Emilie, 39; 5014 43d-ct., Jan. 20.
Clark, Mamie, 34; 2220 N. Whipple-st., Jan. 20.
Christianson, Marie, 72; 375 Wabash-av., Jan. 20.
Clarke, Mary, 72; 1716 W. 19th-st., Jan. 21.
Collins, Joseph, 6 days; 726 Canter-av., Jan. 21.
Darke, Eva, 7 days; 1417 36th-pl., Jan. 23.
Dardani, Colorado, 5 days; 1243 Sangamon-st., Jan. 23.
Dunn, Nicholas, 4; 3220 N. Whipple-st., Jan. 21.
Dwyer, Catherine, 81; 6047 Stewart-av., Jan. 21.
Eisenhauer, Christina, 76; 1276 Carmen-av., Jan. 20.
Fellows, Edward J., 58; 1766 W. 99th-st., Jan. 19.
Fitzgerald, Mary, 73; 376 Wabash-av., Jan. 20.
Fleming, Augustus, 57; 704 Dickens-st., Jan. 20.
Gallagher, Marie, 79; 376 Wabash-av., Jan. 20.
Gaynor, Edward J., 58; 1766 W. 99th-st., Jan. 19.
Gerrard, Mary, 73; 1276 Carmen-av., Jan. 20.
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Hanberg, John F., 40; 6425 Ill.-st., Jan. 20.
Hoffman, Elizabeth, 1; 829 Larrabee-st., Jan. 21.
Hughes, Michael, 70; 57 Lowell-pl., Jan. 20.
Johnson, Carl A., 2; 2220 N. Whipple-st., Jan. 21.
Johnson, Mamie, 34; 300 104th-st., Jan. 20.
Jones, Isabella, 23; 1516 Greenwood-terrace, Jan. 20.
Kris, Frank, 61; 1104 Schaidling-av., Jan. 19.
Lach, Andries, 28; 46 Fay-st., Jan. 20.
Lewis, Libby, 4; 808 W. Polk-st., Jan. 21.
Lindquist, Gilbert, 2; 1104 Schaidling-av., Jan. 19.
Lopata, Marie, 52; 722 19th-st., Jan. 20.
Merdant, Grace R., 21; 2260 N. 44th-ct., Jan. 21.
Moore, Michael, 349 N. Franklin-st., Jan. 19.
Master, Charles J., 9; 426 W. Avers-av., Jan. 21.
Malek, Catherine, 81; 6047 Stewart-av., Jan. 21.
McCarthy, George C., 50; 108 Townsend-st., Jan. 19.
Norner, John, 15; 8502 Prairie-av., Jan. 21.
Oxford, Roy, 7 days; 6041 Wentworth-av., Jan. 22.
Peterson, Lizzie, 50; 4007 Calumet-av., Jan. 20.
Pearson, Hilda, 1 months; 5723 Calumet-av., Jan. 20.
Perrie, Mary, 78; 10218 Eggleston-av., Jan. 20.
Peterson, Gust A., 45; 15 Milton-av., Jan. 21.
Pietro, Pappato, 3 months; 119 W. Polk-st., Jan. 22.
Parks, Mary, 64; 9041 Prairie-av., Jan. 20.
Reiss, Elsa, 26 days; 1062 Norwood-av., Jan. 21.
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Schaefer, Carl A., 36; 26 Arlington-pl., Jan. 19.
Sellard, Julia A., 58; 507 Canal-st., Jan. 19.
Sheridan, Elizabeth, 80; 6052 Green-st., Jan. 19.
Stocking, Alex H., 40; 704 Eggleston-av., Jan. 21.
Shriver, George, 60; sailed Welsh and Richer-st., Jan. 17.
Scafidi, Michael, 31 months; 161 Loomis-st., Jan. 21.
Sweener, John, 46; 397 May-st., Jan. 19.
Unidentified man, 35; unknown, Jan. 19.
Vaughn, Charles, 58; 6 Ontario-st., Jan. 21.
Weyvodler, Thomas, 8; 40th-av. and Mott-st., Jan. 20.
Wolfsohn, Mary, 2 months; 2 Osborn-pl., Jan. 22.
Wells, Samuel J., 1; 3247 Stanton-av., Jan. 21.
Zborski, Rosie, 31; 716 W. 18th-st., Jan. 21.

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Washington, D. C., Jan. 25.—Forecast for Saturday and Sunday:

Illinois—Unsettled, with rain Saturday and probably Sunday, continued warm, followed by colder Sunday night.

South Dakota—Partly cloudy and probably threatening Saturday and Sunday, colder.

North Dakota—Snow and colder Saturday, Sunday threatening and colder.

Nebraska—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, colder Sunday and in west portion Saturday.

Kansas—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday and in west portion Saturday.

Lower Michigan—Rain Saturday and Sunday.

Upper Michigan—Rain or snow Saturday and Sunday.

Wisconsin—Rain Saturday and Sunday, colder in west portion Sunday afternoon, moderate variable winds.

Minnesota—Rain or snow Saturday and probably Sunday, colder Sunday.

Iowa—Threatening, with showers Saturday and in east portion Sunday, colder by Sunday afternoon.

Missouri—Unsettled Saturday and Sunday, with probable showers in east portion, colder by Sunday night.

Indiana and Ohio—Rain Saturday and Sunday.

Place of observation.	Time taken: Jan. 25, 7 p. m.					
	Temperature.		Direction of wind.	Velocity of wind.	Precipitation.	Weather.
Abilene	32	32				Cl'o'dy
Albany	26	26				Clear
Atlanta	46	46	S.E.	6	.02	Rain
Atlantic	32	32	S.E.	6	.02	Rain
Amarillo	50	72	S.W.	14		Fair
Baker City	24	24				Clear
Battleford	14	14			.01	Snow
Bismarck	6	6				Cl'o'dy
Boise	28	28	N.E.	4	.36	Cl'o'dy
Boston	32	32	N.E.	6		Cl'o'dy
Buffalo	26	26				Cl'o'dy
Calgo	14	14				Clear
Charleston	52	52	S.E.	6		Fair
Charles City	42	42	S.E.	6	.03	Cl'o'dy
Charlotte	42	42				Clear
Cheyenne	36	36				Clear
Chicago	36	36			.25	Cl'o'dy
Cincinnati	34	40	S.W.	6	.02	Cl'o'dy
Cleveland	30	30	S.W.	6	Tr.	Cl'o'dy
Concordia	42	42	W.	6		Clear
Davenport	36	36	S.E.	6	.04	Rain
Denver	36	36	S.E.	6	Tr.	Clear
Des Moines	36	36	S.E.	6		Clear
Detroit	34	34	S.E.	6	.02	Rain
Devils Lake	6	6	S.E.	6		Cl'o'dy
Dodge	44	44	S.E.	6	.02	Rain
Dubuque	40	40	S.E.	6		Cl'o'dy
Duluth	22	22	N.E.	6	Tr.	Rain
El Paso	50	72	S.W.	6		Clear
Edmonton	4	4	N.W.	6		Cl'o'dy
Escanaba	34	36	N.W.	6	.14	Rain
Galveston	52	60	S.E.	6		Clear
Grand Haven	32	32	S.E.	6		Rain
Grand Rapids	32	32	S.	6	.02	Rain
Green Bay	34	34	W.	6		Cl'o'dy
Havre	20	24	W.	6	Tr.	Clear
Helena	30	36	W.	6	Tr.	Fair
Huron	34	38	S.E.	6	Tr.	Rain
Indianapolis	36	36	S.E.	6	.02	Rain
Jacksonville	64	70	N.E.	6	.04	Clear
Kansas City	52	68	S.W.	6		Clear
Lander	22	22	S.W.	6		Clear
Little Rock	70	74	E.	6	.36	Clear
Los Angeles	52	56	S.W.	6	1.16	Rain
Madison	36	36	S.E.	6	.02	Cl'o'dy
Marquette	34	34	S.	6	.02	Rain
Memphis	70	72	S.	6	.01	Cl'o'dy
Medicine Hat	16	40	N.W.	6		Cl'o'dy
Milwaukee	36	36	S.E.	6	.02	Rain
Minnedosa	2	2	S.W.	6		Clear
Montgomery	58	74	N.	6		Clear
Montreal	30	30	N.	6	.24	Cl'o'dy
Moorhead	14	14	S.E.	6		Cl'o'dy
Nashville	66	68	S.E.	6	Tr.	Cl'o'dy
New Orleans	70	70	S.E.	6		Clear
New York City	28	28	S.W.	6		Clear
Norfolk	50	50	S.W.	6		Clear
North Platte	28	28	W.	6		Clear
Oklahoma	46	60	S.W.	6		Clear
Omaha	40	46	S.W.	6	Tr.	Cl'o'dy
Oswego	26	26	S.	6		Cl'o'dy
Palestine	54	68	S.E.	6	Tr.	Clear
Parkersburg	56	56	S.	6		Clear
Peoria	38	38	S.E.	6	Tr.	Clear
Philadelphia	30	30	S.W.	6		Clear
Pittsburg	30	30	S.W.	6		Fair
Portland, Ore.	58	64	S.W.	6	.08	Cl'o'dy
Pueblo	36	36	S.W.	6		Clear
Rapid City	14	18	S.W.	6		Clear
Qu'Appelle	10	10	S.W.	6		Clear
San Francisco	46	50	N.W.	6	.18	Clear
St. Louis	46	46	S.	6	Tr.	Cl'o'dy
St. Paul	24	24	S.	6		Cl'o'dy
Salt Lake City	34	36	S.E.	6	.30	Cl'o'dy
San Antonio	60	68	S.E.	6		Clear
San Diego	52	56	W.	6	1.18	Rain
Ste. Marie	34	36	E.	6	.24	Rain
Springfield, Ill.	40	40	S.E.	6	Tr.	Cl'o'dy
Springfield, Mo.	66	72	S.	6	Tr.	Clear
Spokane	28	40	S.E.	6	.12	Fair
Tacoma	52	52	S.E.	6	.02	Rain
Vicksburg	72	76	S.E.	6		Clear
Washington	40	46	N.E.	6		Clear
Wichita	66	70	S.	6		Clear
Williston	6	6	S.E.	6		Cl'o'dy
Winnipeg	32	34	E.	6	Tr.	Cl'o'dy

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed by L. Manasse, optician, 55 Madison street, Trubune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 36; 9 a. m., 36; 10 a. m., 36; 11 a. m., 36; 12 m., 36; 1 p. m., 37; 2 p. m., 38; 3 p. m., 38; 4 p. m., 38. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.40; 6 p. m., 29.31.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Abrahamson, Adelbert, 9 months; 6124 Paulina-st., Jan. 21.
Allaca, Louis, 14 days; 100 Mather-st., Jan. 21.
Barthing, Henry, 58; 461 Seminary-av., Jan. 19.
Becker, Caroline, 58; 4043 Sheridan-rd., Jan. 21.
Behel, Wilbur F., 67; 372 87th-pl., Jan. 21.
Blaylock, Alphonse, 10 days; 6035 Shields-av., Jan. 19.
Brill, infant, 3 days; 511 Hermitage-av., Jan. 21.
Bell, Tille, 35; 28 Seldon-st., Jan. 21.
Bonsall, August, 56; 96 Michael-st., Jan. 19.
Bowe, Philip E., 3; 3... St. Louis-av., Jan. 20.
Byrne, Minnie, 36; 5525 Center-av., Jan. 20.
Bois, Eva, 7 days; 1417 36th-pl., Jan. 23.
Coalton, Cesaria, 72; 726 Canter-av., Jan. 21.
Cepalek, Mary, 16; 9 Tell-pl., Jan. 19.
Clemann, Emilie, 39; 5014 43d-ct., Jan. 20.
Clark, Mamie, 34; 2220 N. Whipple-st., Jan. 20.
Christianson, Marie, 72; 375 Wabash-av., Jan. 20.
Clarke, Mary, 72; 1716 W. 19th-st., Jan. 21.
Collins, Joseph, 6 days; 726 Canter-av., Jan. 21.
Darke, Eva, 7 days; 1417 36th-pl., Jan. 23.
Dardani, Colorado, 5 days; 1243 Sangamon-st., Jan. 23.
Dunn, Nicholas, 4; 3220 N. Whipple-st., Jan. 21.
Dwyer, Catherine, 81; 6047 Stewart-av., Jan. 21.
Eisenhauer, Christina, 76; 1276 Carmen-av., Jan. 20.
Fellows, Edward J., 58; 1766 W. 99th-st., Jan. 19.
Fitzgerald, Mary, 73; 376 Wabash-av., Jan. 20.
Fleming, Augustus, 57; 704 Dickens-st., Jan. 20.
Gallagher, Marie, 79; 376 Wabash-av., Jan. 20.
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Congressman McCleary and John Barrett Arouse Manufacturers' Association.

The United States of America received a scoring before the Illinois Manufacturers' association at a luncheon in the Auditorium for the lack of enthusiastic sentiment that would force the establishment of the world's greatest merchant marine.

"When it comes to a question of us and the other fellows, we are all for us," was the epigrammatical utterance of Congressman James T. McCleary of Minnesota, formerly assistant postmaster general. "Partisanship ceases at the shore line. We grow rich and weak at the same time. It speaks ill of our patriotism that we have not already established the world's greatest merchant marine."

John Barrett, director general of the international bureau of American republics, was another who was frank in the expression of his opinions.

The luncheon, presided over by La Verne W. Noyes, was attended by more than 500 men, members of the association and their friends. And with each link rives in the argument for a greater marine service the 500 applauded.

Congress Is Urged to Act.

No sooner were the addresses of the two officeholders finished than Fred W. Upham offered a resolution urging the house of representatives to pass immediately the ocean mail bill now before it; urging congress to extend our coastwise shipping laws to Panama and the Philippine islands; commending the support given this cause hitherto by men prominent in public and private life, and requesting the congressmen from Illinois to give these projects their heartiest support. The resolutions were adopted without a dissenting vote.

"When our fleet rounded the straits of Magellan every American heart beat proudly, but our pride was sobered by the fact that with our sixteen battleships we had but eight merchant vessels in contrast. Such a spectacle has never before been presented by any self-respecting nation," declared Congressman McCleary.

"A sufficient appropriation would place better ships on the ocean within two years than all the ships of other nations today. It would be a crime not to do it.

"The establishment of the world's greatest merchant marine under our flag means a naval auxiliary second to none in the universe."

Alarm Sounded by Barrett.

Director General Barrett urged the adoption of certain European methods by this country to prevent possible retrogression.

"The United States has gone as far in commercial advancement as the momentum of her great size and immense natural resources will carry her," he said, "and it is now up to her to make use of some of the methods employed by European countries in order to keep her from going backwards.

"Serious conditions are facing American prestige and trade abroad. I refer particularly to South America and the orient. Immediate action must be taken. Otherwise the results will be disastrous. This is not an ill considered warning. It is not a pessimistic statement. It is the truth—and a truth which directly concerns Chicago, Illinois, and the whole central west.

"Figures which have been collected for this occasion by the international bureau of republics under my direction show that the total foreign trade with all the world of the twenty nations south of us is now worth $2,100,000,000 a year. The increase for the trade for the last year has been $1,000,000,000, or at the great average of $100,000,000 a year.

Big Loss for United States.

"Although physically and resourcefully the United States has every advantage and should be the controlling, selling, and buying factor, its participation is valued at only $806,000,000, or approximately one-fourth. In contrast to this is Europe's portion of $1,504,000,000.

"Shame on us for such a situation, when we can manufacture and export nearly everything Latin America wants and can provide a market for nearly everything she has to sell.

"Shame on us again, I say, for the wonder of it! Europe has over a dozen splendid fast mail, passenger, and express steamship lines running to South America, and we, the proud and powerful United States, have none—no, not even a tug line that would be a credit to the Chicago river."

G. A. R. TO ENCAMP AT AURORA.

Department of Illinois Council of Administration Fixes May 18 as Opening Date.

The forty-third annual encampment of the Illinois branch of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held at Aurora May 18, 19, 20, this date and place being fixed at a meeting held yesterday by the council of administration of the department of Illinois. More than $6,000 already has been raised with which to defray the expenses.

Y. M. C. A. PLANS A NEW HOTEL

Proposed Building to Accommodate 1,000 and Cost $500,000.

NEEDS OUTLINED IN REPORT.

Many Undertakings Hinge on the Completion of $1,000,000 Fund.

A forecast of some of the things to be undertaken for the betterment of the city by the Y. M. C. A. when the $1,000,000 anniversary fund is fully subscribed was given by L. Wilbur Messer, general secretary of the organization, yesterday. The plans of the association include:

The building in the downtown district of a hotel to be conducted on the Mills plan; it will cost $600,000 and accommodate 1,000 men.

The establishment of a rescue department to give first aid to the "down and out" class.

A building for young negroes.

A new west side department building.

A boys' work addition to the Wilson avenue department.

Outlined in Secretary's Report.

These plans were outlined in the general secretary's report for the concluding year of the first half century of Y. M. C. A. development in Chicago. Mr. Messer said consummation of the plans within the next twenty years would be assured if the association continued to prosper as it has in the past.

"The success of Mills hotels in other places has demonstrated their usefulness," he said. "The need in Chicago is pressing. There are thousands of young men in the city, strangers, most of them, and men of limited means who are forced into disreputable quarters by the failure of the city to provide anything better."

Immediate Needs Pointed Out.

The immediate needs of the association which Mr. Messer pointed out in his report include the completion of the $1,000,000 fund in 1909, the erection of two dormitory buildings, an appropriation of $4,000 for the support of two secretarial representatives of the Chicago association at Hongkong, China, and the making of a permanent advisory committee of the citizens' anniversary committee which has charge of the endowment fund.

One of the dormitory buildings will adjoin the Wilson avenue department building in Ravenswood and will cost $100,000. Work on this will be begun within ninety days, it is expected. The other will represent a similar expenditure, but the site has not been determined.

Another recommendation is the appointment of a commission of fifteen to study the problem of meeting in a fuller way the needs of the young men and boys of foreign parentage in Chicago.

Membership Totals 11,863.

The membership of the association in Chicago during the year was 11,863. The total volume of business of the association of all kinds was $778,000. In the day and night schools 2,000 pupils were enrolled, the total class attendance being 100,000. Positions were found for 720 applicants.

Additional contributions to the endowment fund were announced as follows: $1,000 from R. T. Crane Jr., $500 from James T. Harahan, and $1,250 in smaller amounts. The total is now $448,654.

OFFERS FALSE TESTIMONY; GETS SIX MONTHS IN JAIL.

Joseph Wallingford, Bartender, Deprived of Liberty by Judge Gibbons on Charge of Contempt of Court.

For offering perjured testimony in a suit which Joseph Kopacs brought against the receivers of the Union Traction company for $15,000 damages, Joseph Wallingford, bartender at 99 West Madison street, was committed to jail for six months yesterday by Judge Gibbons for contempt of court.

Kopacs's skull was fractured on Nov. 23, 1905, when a wagon he was driving was struck by a car at Wells and Locust streets. Wallingford said he saw the accident, but it was proved he was in another part of the city at that time.

It was intimated that Kopacs must have known that Wallingford's testimony was false, but the court said he would take no action against Kopacs until after the case is concluded.

PRIMARY JUDGE GIVEN LIBERTY.

Man Sentenced for Violating Election Law Set Free Because Court Pities Family.

G. D. Earl, who was sentenced to jail for ninety days Dec. 14 for contempt of court for violating certain provisions of the primary law, was released yesterday by Judge Rinaker in the County court.

Earl was a Republican judge of election last August at the Thirty-first precinct of the First ward.

"You are a man of family," said Judge Rinaker, "and I feel that you have been punished severely enough."

Indictments charging illegal registration and conspiracy against Jacob Adler, First ward saloonkeeper and reputed lieutenant of Ald. Kenna, Joseph Zemanski and a man known as the "Cleveland Kid" were quashed by Judge Brentano.

The action was taken at the request of State's Attorney Wayman, who declared the indictments were insufficient.

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